

RUSSIANS INFLECT FURTHER  
DEFEATS ON THE TURKSFIRE IN BILLERICA  
BURNS BARN AND AUTO

Spectacular Fire That Seems  
Suspicious and Will be Investi-  
gated—Dwelling Saved

A spectacular fire occurred at North Billerica early this morning when a barn belonging to the estate of Owen M. Harrington and located on Pollard street, opposite Pollard road, burned to the ground, destroying a touring car which was stored inside and 10 tons of hay besides a number of farming implements and other machinery. The origin of the fire seemed suspicious to the fire department officials and an investigation of the circumstances will undoubtedly be made by the state officers.

About 10 days ago a fire was discovered in the same barn by neighbors and Superintendent Stowers, of the water department, and several volunteers succeeded in extinguishing the blaze before any serious damage was done. Only the rear of the automobile and a small part of the barn floor was burned. The fire was discovered about 11 o'clock at night.

The alarm for this morning's fire was sounded at the Talbot mills at 1:30 o'clock, after a resident of that vicinity had discovered the barn in flames and notified the watchman at the mill by telephone. The fire made such rapid headway, however, that long before the arrival of the fire department the entire structure was a mass of flames and none of the con-

tents could be saved. Occupants of several nearby houses entertained fears for some time that the strong wind would carry sparks to the roofs of their dwellings and while awaiting the arrival of the firemen several lines of small hose were played on the residences to prevent other fires. Fortunately the wind was blowing toward the Concord river and most of the burning embers were carried in that direction.

When the firemen reached the scene of action, there was nothing to do but prevent the spreading of the fire as the hay made great fuel for the flames and it was only a matter of a half hour before the whole barn was totally destroyed. The homestead, located only a few yards from the barn, did not catch fire though the occupants had removed furniture fearing that their home was to be ruined.

From what could be learned today, no one had, fully been inside the barn for several days, it being used mostly to store goods. It is possible that tramps were sleeping in the barn and started the fire by smoking. The automobile destroyed was owned by Edward T. Harrington of East Cambridge, while the hay and farming machinery belonged to Frank Harrington of North Billerica. The barn and machine were insured, it is said.

## CHARLES D. DELARONDE

OLD RESIDENT OF THIS CITY DIED  
THIS MORNING AFTER LINGER-  
ING ILLNESS

Charles D. Delaronde, one of the oldest and best known residents of this city, died early this morning at the home of his son, Charles A. Delaronde, a former courtier, 128 Lily avenue, after an illness which kept him confined to the house for about four months.

Mr. Delaronde was born in Canada on July 12, 1839. When a young man he removed to Malone, N. Y., where he remained until 1857, at which time he came to this city. Mr. Delaronde in his younger days was employed as a traveling salesman, working for large concerns of this country. Some 10 years ago he gave up his position and entered the employ of his son, Charles A., who at that time conducted a variety store in Moody street. Deceased retired from active work when his wife died six years ago.

Mr. Delaronde will be mourned by a host of friends, who held him in the highest esteem, for he was a man of good character and cheerful disposition and always ready to lend a helping hand to one in distress. The news of his demise will be a sad blow to all who knew him, for during his long stay in Lowell he had made a large number of friends who had learned to love and respect him. Deceased is survived by four sons, Joseph of Troy, N. Y., Charles A. and Paul of this city, and Louis of the ordnance department of the United States army, stationed in Manila; two daughters, Mrs. Eugene Gosselin and Mrs. Albert Belanger, both of this city; two brothers, Joseph of Valleyfield and Alexander of Montreal, Que., and 21 grandchildren.

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TURKISH FORCES  
CUT TO PIECES

Town on Turkish Border Captured by  
Russians — Austrians Bombarded  
the Montenegrin Positions—French  
Trenches 16 Miles From Rhine

Russian accounts of the war, with Turkey make it appear that resistance of the Ottoman troops has virtually collapsed. An official statement today from the Russian staff of the Caucasian army says that further defeats have been inflicted on the Turkish troops in a series of rear-guard actions and that the Turks after suffering heavy losses are retreating precipitately. The statement announces the capture of a Trans-Caucasian town near the Turkish border. It is also said that a Russian warship sank twelve vessels off the coast of Asia Minor.

**Austrians Shell Montenegrins**  
Fighting between Austrians and Montenegrins which has been almost at a standstill on account of the winter weather and heavy snows has been resumed across the border from Cattaro. The Austrians bombarded Montenegrin positions but it is said that no damage was inflicted.

**Allies Push On to Rhine**  
The allies now have their eyes on the Rhine and British troops may be sent to Belfort in eastern France to take part in any possible advance toward the river says a Geneva report which lacks verification. It is stated that the advance French trenches are within 16 miles of the Rhine.

**RUSSIAN THREE-FOLD ASSAULT ON GERMANS SUCCESSFUL IN NORTH AND SOUTH**

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Russian three-fold assault on the German allies in the opinion of British observers of the war has shown its steamroller characteristics alike in the north and the south.

In the north the advance in East Prussia is reported as threatening the German lines of communication and in Poland the trench warfare continues with small results for either side but the Russians confidently dwell on what they call large German losses in efforts to hold present positions. In the

south, the Russians declare, the Austrian resistance seems to have been broken down entirely and that Transylvania lies open to them.

**Rumania to Protect Interests**  
Reports of Rumania's long-awaited entrance into the fight continue to circulate; one rumor today has it, however, that Rumania will not immediately declare war but that she will throw troops into Transylvania, which is Hungarian territory, for the purpose of protecting Rumanian nationals.

In the meanwhile German official utterances continue optimistic. The communications given out every day say that the situation in the eastern theatre of the war remains unchanged. Certain semi-official summaries of events received in London by wireless from Berlin are somewhat more communicative. Such a message received recently says the Russians have had some successes in which their losses were heavy and that the Turks have been operating successfully in the Caucasus and now are marching on Egypt.

**Campaign Against Russia**  
Telegrams reaching here from Berlin record the arrival there of Archduke Charles Francis, the Austrian crown prince, and Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, who are to be joined shortly by Baron Burián, the new Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, presumably for a conference regarding a plan of campaign against Russia, as well as the adoption of suitable measures against the prospective entrance into the war of Italy and Roumania.

**BERLIN PAPERS EXPRESS SATISFACTION AS RESULT OF AERIAL RAID**

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—"The isolation of the British islands is conquered successfully," says the Morgenpost in its editorial on the recent air raid. "Of what use to Great Britain," it adds, "are the surrounding seas and war ves-

sels if our airships cross the water, dropping bombs?"

The Tages Zeitung expresses satisfaction at the first air attack and hopes it will be followed by others while the Tageblatt says it is now clear that the North sea is no hindrance to German airships.

**EX-KHEDIVE OF EGYPT TO CONSULT SPECIALIST REGARDING BULLET WOUND**

GENEVA, Jan. 21.—Ex-Khedive Abbas Hilmi of Egypt, according to Vienna despatches, is going to Bern to consult a specialist regarding a bullet wound in the jaw, received in a recent attempt on his life at Constantinople. The despatches say that the wound has not healed and that it makes it impossible for him to head the army with which it is planned to invade Egypt at the present time.

**ANOTHER ZEPPELIN LEAVES FRIEDRICHSHAFEN TO REINFORCE FLEET**

GENEVA, Jan. 21.—Another Zeppelin after three days of trials left Friedrichshafen Wednesday afternoon in a northwesterly direction to reinforce the air fleet near Ghent.

It is reported here, there is great rejoicing at Friedrichshafen over the Yarmouth raid. The plan was known in advance in certain quarters in Switzerland. It is declared, and warnings had even been sent to the British authorities, who are reported to have stated that they attached little importance to it.

The visit of the prince of Wales to Belfort has led to reports here that British troops would shortly be sent to Belfort to participate in any possible advance on the Rhine. The French advanced trenches according to reports received here are now only 16 miles from the Rhine.

**GERMAN AIRSHIPS ATTEMPT TO DESTROY BRIDGES OF NEW FINNISH RAILROAD**

LONDON, Jan. 21.—A Stockholm despatch says that German airships have been reconnoitering the frontier between Sweden and Finland, evidently with the purpose of destroying the bridges of the new Finnish railroad, thus interrupting communication between Russia and Sweden.

**INHABITANTS OF BRUGES, BELGIUM SENTENCED TO 5 YEARS FOR CARRYING LETTERS**

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21.—A despatch from Sluis, Holland, says that an inhabitant of Bruges, Belgium, has been sentenced to five years imprisonment for carrying letters from Holland to Belgium.

**COMMANDER OF AUSTRIAN ARMY SAYS TROOPS ARE ANXIOUS TO FIGHT**

VIENNA, Jan. 21.—Field Marshal Archduke Frederick, the cousin of Emperor Francis Joseph and commander in chief of the Austrian army, has just returned from a visit to the troops of the first army. He states that he found conditions excellent and the soldiers impatient to begin a further offensive campaign.

Money, confetti, Associate, Fri.

**FUNERAL NOTICE**

WALSH—The funeral of William Walsh will take place from his home, 324 Adams street, Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock. There will be a solemn mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker John P. Rogers.

PROF. TAFT SEES GOOD  
IN THE EUROPEAN WAR

Ex-President Says People Should  
go Back to System of Justice,  
Equity and Moderation

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 21.—Declaring that the country was halting in business, progress and learning, and that unwise steps, taken needed to be recalled, former President Taft said today that the people should go back to the system of justice, equity and moderation.

Prof. Taft was the guest of Indiana university and delivered the address at the founders day exercises.

"We need not go back to the conditions that led to the great reforms and we shall not do so," said Mr. Taft. "Corporations have been driven out of politics and while, of course, corruption is not ever absent the danger of plutocracy has disappeared and the purification of politics has constituted a real reform for which all good citizens must be grateful."

"Popular indignation cannot be really aroused or the Leviathan of the people be stirred to action such as they have thus taken, and stopped short at the time of the original disease is in the incidental damage from the inevitable excess of remedies. The hostility of legislatures and of congress, consciously or unconsciously, has come to be directed against all successful invest-

ments of capital without discrimination. Nothing is so difficult as capital and nothing is so easily able to take care of what it has. The inequality and nagging character of the powers of commissions, created for the close supervision of corporate interests have so frightened capital as to shrink investments and stop the normal expansion in the business of the country."

**Wage Earners the Sufferers**

"The sad features of such excess of remedy," continued Mr. Taft, "however well intended, is that the persons who suffer most are the least able to bear suffering—the wage earners, whose comfort and living are dependent upon constant employment."

In referring to the European war Mr. Taft says that it staggers the imagination in the loss of life and destruction of hard earned capital. When it came it was such a shock and such a disappointment that the people hoped for human progress lost their faith.

"We find occasion for hope, however, from the various sufferings which when the war is over will prompt the adoption of some peaceable means of settling international disputes in order to prevent a recurrence of such an awful catastrophe."

## YOUNG MAN BANK PRESIDENT

Frank P. McGilly Be-  
comes Head of Mid-  
dlesex Trust Co.

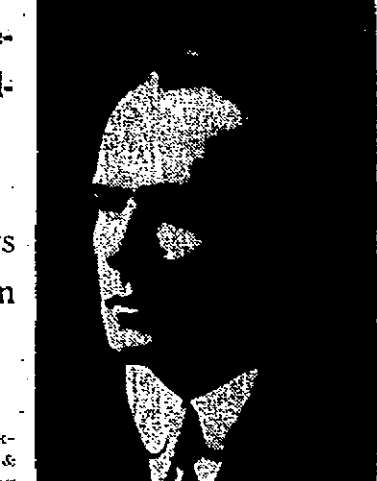
Action by Stockholders  
Yesterday Makes Him  
Active President

The annual meeting of the stockholders in Middlesex Safe Deposit & Trust Co. was held at the banking rooms yesterday and the following elections were made: For president, Frank P. McGilly; for vice president, Larkin T. Trull; secretary, Charles L. Knapp. Directors, Edmund S. Conant, Patrick Kelley, Charles L. Knapp, Alfred LeBlanc, Elias A. McQuade, Thos. F. Morris, Percy Parker, Theodore E. Parker, Gardner W. Pearson, John B. Pilling, George E. Putnam, Joseph E. Shanley, Larkin T. Trull, Frank P. McGilly. For chairman of board of directors, Percy Parker.

The plan of organization, whereby Mr. Percy Parker, the retiring president, becomes chairman of the board of directors, is a new idea in modern banking methods. By such an arrangement Col. Parker retains his active interests in the same capacity as heretofore.

Mr. Frank P. McGilly becomes active working president. Mr. McGilly in assuming the position resigns the position he has held for several years in the bank commissioner's department of this commonwealth. He is well known among all the banks of the state. His training in banking matters, including 12 years of service with the Lowell Trust Co. of this city, has been unusual and fits him to an eminent degree to assume the new duties. He is well and favorably known throughout this city. He takes up his task with the full approval and endorsement of Bank Commissioner Thorndike and all connected with that department.

Mr. McGilly was born in this city 31 years ago and received his education at the Immaculate Conception school and the Lowell high school. Fifteen years ago he entered the employ of the Lowell Trust Co. as messenger boy and rose through various positions to assistant actuary. Leaving the Lowell Trust company in December, 1911, he joined the state bank department under former Commissioner Chapin, serving through his administration, continuing under the present Commissioner, Thorndike. Mr.



MR. FRANK P. MCGILLY

McGilly is also at the present time a member of the sinking fund commission of this city.

The policy of choosing a leader from the bank commissioner's department is but a repetition of what other prominent banking institutions of this state have done. Mr. McGilly being the 14th call of this nature. The success of those who have preceded him has established a precedent that Mr. McGilly's friends believe he will maintain. Examples of this successful advancement are Mr. Jay, now governor of the reserve board of New York; former Bank Commissioner Chapin, now vice president of the American Trust company; former Deputy Commissioner Otis now president of the Warren Institution for Savings of Charlestown; Mr. Evans, vice president, Merchants National bank of Worcester; Mr. Stratton, treasurer Worcester County Institution for Savings; Mr. Washburn, treasurer of the Worcester Five Cent Savings bank; Mr. Meyer, vice president Federal Trust company; Mr. Taine, former vice president Federal Trust company; now president of the Greenfield Tap and Bee company; Mr. Robinson, cashier of the First National bank of Greenfield; Mr. Freeman, Asst. Treas. of the Wilder Savings bank, Boston; Mr. Langley, treasurer Guaranty Trust company, Cambridge; Mr. Hunt, treasurer Whitman Savings bank, Whitman, Mass.; Mr. Newcomb, vice president Brookline Trust company; Mr. Kennedy, president of the Columbia Trust company, Boston; Mr. Burrill, now state treasurer, formerly secretary under Commissioner Jay; Mr. Brennan, now National bank examiner of Boston.

# From Yesterday's Late Editions

## THE SMOKE INSPECTOR SUBMITS HIS REPORT

Smoke Inspector Charles Riley's annual report is submitted to the municipal council in quite an interesting document, and is almost as much a report on the activities of the inspector. It includes a statement of the average amount of coal consumed per day by the principal manufacturing establishments in the city and the methods adopted to abate smoke nuisances. The Merrimack Mfg. Co. is the biggest coal consumer, the average per day being 115 tons. The Massachusetts mills comes next with 68 tons. The average daily consumption of the Lowell Electric Light Corporation and the Tremont & Suffolk mills is 60 tons each, and the next in line is the Higelow Carpet Co., with 55 tons.

The inspector states in his report that he has found the men in charge of the manufacturing plants willing at all times to cooperate with his department to minimize the smoke nuisance, but he says it is only by constant supervision that the best results can be obtained. The report:

**Chimneys and Stacks.**—Number of observations of different chimneys and stacks, 152; number of photographs taken, 86; number of complaints received, 36; number of notices mailed to smoke violators, 18; number of visits to boiler plants, 243; number of consultations with owners or agents relative to ways and means of complying with the smoke law, 43.

### Abating Smoke Nuisances

The methods adopted to abate smoke nuisances by installing automatic smokestacks are as follows: Merrimack Mfg. Co., Murphy stokers, 17; Tremont & Suffolk Mfg. Co., Taylor stokers, 2; Higelow Carpet Co., Taylor stoker, 1; Massachusetts Mfg. Co., Murphy stokers, 2; Appleton Mfg. Co., Jones underfeed stokers, 16.

The Lowell Electric Light Corporation has four boilers equipped with the Taylor stoker, and the Hamilton Mfg. Co. has six boilers equipped with the Rooney stokers. These companies have had their stokers in use for a number of years.

The Lawrence Mfg. Co., the American Hite and Leather Company and two boilers in the Tremont & Suffolk mills were equipped with what is known as the Climax smoke consumer in 1912.

### Use of Steam Jets

Steam jets for the abatement of smoke nuisance have been installed in the following places where the number of boilers affected are also included: Mohair Plush Company, 3;

Saco-Lowell shoes, 3; United States Cartridge Company, 4; U. S. Bunting Company, 4; Bay State Woolen Company, 4; J. C. Ayer Company, 2; Shaw Stocking Company, 3; Colonial Milling, 2; Bontt Mfg. Co., 6; Sterling mill, 2.

The Day State street railway power plant has installed an improved shaking grate on the five boilers there. Smoke conditions at this plant have shown a change for the better.

The Waterhead Manufacturing Co. has installed a new boiler, making a total of four boilers at this plant, which give ample power and obviates the necessity of forcing the plant to its limit. Smoke conditions at this plant have improved.

The boiler plant of the Lowell Bleachery Company has been changed over by the engineer and better results are looked for when it is completed.

### Big Coal Consumption

When it is considered that 300 tons of bituminous coal are used per day, besides the burning of from one ton to five tons a day by 25 smaller industries, it can readily be seen what a big proposition the smoke inspector has to contend with to get satisfactory results.

After a thorough observation of the numerous steam plants of Lowell, especially the larger manufacturing establishments, Mr. Riley says he is firmly convinced that plants which have installed stokers have done more to eliminate the smoke nuisance than those which have installed steam jets only.

Bulletin No. 33, issued by the department of interior, bureau of mines, recommends the following conditions as requirements for a smokeless furnace of the hand-fired type:

No. 1. The coal should be supplied to the furnace in small quantities at frequent intervals. The more nearly the feed approaches a continuous and uniform supply the better the results.

No. 2. The air supply should be slightly in excess of the theoretical amount required and be admitted principally through the fuel bed, with an auxiliary supply admitted at the front or rear of the furnace to burn gases from the coal.

No. 3. The temperature in the furnace should be sufficiently high to ignite the gases given off from the fuel bed.

If these instructions are followed, says Mr. Riley, by those in charge of

large steam plants better results will be obtained.

### Daily Coal Consumption

The average amount of coal consumed per day by the principal manufacturing plants is as follows:

Plant	Tons
Merrimack Mfg. Co.	115
Massachusetts mills	68
Lowell Electric Light Corp.	60
Tremont & Suffolk Co.	60
Higelow Carpet Co.	55
Lawrence Mfg. Co.	50
Hamilton Mfg. Co.	50
Bontt Mfg. Co.	50
Appleton Mfg. Co.	45
Day State St. Ry. power plant	45
Lowell Bleachery Co.	30
Bay State Woolen Co.	25
American Hite & Leather Co.	25
Middlesex Mills	15
Waterhead Mills	15
Saco-Lowell Shoes	12
Shaw Stocking Co.	12
Mohair Plush Co.	10
U. S. Bunting Co.	10

### Waste for Fuel

Referring to wood waste burning, Mr. Riley states that there are nine plants, such as box-shops and planing mills that use their waste material for fuel. These plants furnish power to 27 other concerns, such as machine shops and laundries.

Through the kindness of Wm. H. Gerrish, the smoke inspector of Boston, Mr. Riley says that he spent one day in going through the wood-working plants in Boston, and that since then he has adopted the methods used by him, and that there has been a considerable improvement noted.

Concerning the smoke from locomotives, the smoke inspector says: "In reporting on this phase of the smoke nuisance I wish to give credit to the officials of the Boston & Maine railroad for the co-operation received from them in helping to minimize this nuisance."

"Any time a complaint was made to them about this nuisance the smoke inspector of the railroad company came to Lowell and rendered me his assistance and helped to improve conditions here. The greater number of complaints arise from the conditions caused by the shifting engines which ply back and forth through a considerable portion of the central part of the city."

"The smoke inspection department has found the men in charge of the manufacturing plants willing to cooperate with this department to minimize the smoke nuisance. In conclusion I wish to state that it is by constant supervision only that the best results in this work may be obtained."

Respectfully yours,  
Charles Riley, Inspector.

### DEATHS

BROWN—Died in this city, January 20, Miss Annie Brown, aged 71 years, 1 month and 19 days, at the home of her son, James A. Brown, 20 Nesmith street. She is survived by four sons, nine daughters and 23 grandchildren.

### FUNERALS

MERAPIDEA—The funeral of Elizabeth Merapidea took place this morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. James O'Garra, 118 Adams street, at 8:30 o'clock, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where it was met by a delegation of 40 solicitors, representing the John Hancock Life Insurance Company and who were seated on the left of the broad aisle. Rev. Joseph A. Curtin celebrated the mass. The bearers were Messrs. Thomas Mahoney, John Parker, Patrick Boland, Patrick J. McCarthy, Owen O'Neill and Michael McFarland. There were floral offerings from the family, O'Garra children, Mrs. Anna Murphy of Weston, Mass., office boys of the John Hancock Life Insurance Co., staff of the John Hancock Life Insurance Co., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barnett. The interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Curtin. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

AYOTTE—The funeral of Mrs. Narcisse Ayotte took place this morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Julien Racette, O. M. I. The bearers of the casket were Rev. Joseph Racette, Pierre Forget, William Poiras and Joseph Juville. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles Deniot, O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amos Archambault & Son, 90 Allen street. The funeral of Charles Guilmond took place this morning from the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Brautigan, 639 Merrimack street, at 9 o'clock by Rev. Joseph Racette, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Joseph Deniot, O. M. I., and Rev. Joseph Racette, O. M. I. as deacon and sub-deacon. Scattered in the sanctuary was Rev. Dennis Sullivan, O. M. I., of the immediate Conception church. The bearers were Adolphe, Amelée, Albert and Joseph Guilmond, William Brautigan and Emory Cognac. There were many floral offerings placed upon the grave in St. Joseph's cemetery, where burial took place and where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles Deniot, O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

### FUNERAL NOTICE

MOLLAN—The funeral of Mr. P. Mollan took place this morning from his late home, 638 Chelmsford street, at 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Margaret's church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral in charge of Undertaker James H. McElmerrill.

## ON SCHOOL FUND

### Bill to Make a More Equitable Distribution of Funds Filed

BOSTON, Jan. 20.—Methods to be employed in making a more equitable distribution of school funds to small towns were suggested in a special report filed with the legislature today by the state board of education as it was directed to do in a resolve approved last year. Two bills were presented as a basis of legislation, one for a state tax of one mill upon each dollar of valuation in Massachusetts and the other to amend the Massachusetts school fund by by limiting the distribution of the proceeds of that fund to small towns.

The annual report which also was filed with the legislature today contained an act drawn by the board for the fortification of all teachers in union superintendency districts. The board expressed the opinion that the time had arrived when the state should participate in examinations of local school affairs when it was evident that such examinations could be made under suitable auspices and with necessary expert service.

### THE RIVERS AND HARBORS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The rivers and harbors appropriation bill went to the senate today following its passage by the house by an overwhelming vote. It will now be referred by the senate to its commerce committee for report.

The bill passed the house virtually as reported by the rivers and harbors committee and carried appropriations of more than \$24,000,000 for continuance of existing waterway projects, with provision for examinations and surveys in various places. No provision is made for new projects.

### HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

BROOKLINE, Jan. 20.—John F. Griffin of Boston today pleaded not guilty to the charge of murdering Charles Merrill, manager of a local drug store, who was shot by two robbers on the night of Nov. 29. He was held without bail.

### RE-LOCATION OF WARDS

BOSTON, Jan. 20.—The plan adopted by the city for a re-location of the ward lines in Boston which met with the objection of many political leaders was sent to the full bench of the supreme court today on the question of the power conferred upon the council.

In referring the matter to the full bench Judge De Courcy of the supreme court expressed the opinion that a private citizen could not maintain a petition to enforce a public right. Such proceedings, he said, should originate with the attorney general.

### MOTHERS' DEPARTMENT

An important meeting of the mothers' department of the First Congregational church was held this afternoon in the vestry of the church. The attendance was very large, while the meeting was very interesting. A feature of the afternoon was an address on the work of the Boy Scouts by George Stevens of Braintree, who was attended by his patrol. The boys gave a very good exemplification of their work much to the satisfaction of the many mothers present.

If you want help at home in your business try The Sun-Wander column.

## U. S. DEMANDS WHY BRITISH HELD STEAMER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The state department has requested of the British embassy information why the American steamer Greenbrier, from New York to Bremen, with cotton, under certificate of the British consul at New York, was stopped by a British cruiser, sent under British flag to a British port and detained two days before being allowed to complete her voyage to Bremen.

The detention of the Greenbrier was brought to the attention of the state department by telegram from Captain Farley, her commander, now at Bremen. Farley stated that at a point on the North Atlantic, which he described by longitude and latitude, the Greenbrier was overhauled on Dec. 30 by a British cruiser. The boarding officer required him to continue on his course conveyed by the cruiser for a day or two while the cargo was being searched for arms. When the cruiser placed aboard the Greenbrier some additional British officers, who hoisted the British flag and a prize crew who navigated the ship so that, according to Captain Farley, it was damaged before she was brought into Kirkwall. There the Greenbrier remained for three days, Captain Farley refusing to sail further except under the Stars and Stripes. The British officers finally consented to the

raising of the American flag and Captain Farley took his ship to Leth, where a pilot was picked up and the Greenbrier was taken to her destination at Bremen.

"The points on which the state department wants information are, first, why it was necessary to search the Greenbrier in view of the certificate issued by the British consul at New York, and, second, why a neutral vessel was compelled to lower her flag when under no known rule could she be regarded as a prize."

### DACIA WILL SAIL REGARDLESS OF DECISION OF BRITISH TO SEIZE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Representatives of the owners of the steamer Dacia, now loading cotton at Port Arthur, Texas, for Bremen, have informed the state department that as soon as loaded the steamer will proceed on her voyage regardless of the decision of the British government to seize her.

It was said at the department today that Mr. Page's statement that the British government had declined to sanction the Dacia's voyage was regarded as final though no formal notification from the British government to that effect has so far been received.

## THE FEDERAL LEAGUE SUIT

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Before a crowd of fans that filled the United States district court room and spread over the wide corridors, the Federal league today opened its anti-trust suit against the three highest bodies of organized baseball.

The principal points of attack in the opening address of Keene H. Addington was the power of the national commission, which the Federal league attorney described as judicial, executive and legislative and the rules of the national agreement under the American and National leagues and the national commission were cited to show the extent of that power.

Some of the best known leaders of the professional game were among the spectators and later may be called as witnesses.

Grouped about the table of counsel for the defendants were the three members of the national commission, Chairman Herrmann, President Tener and President Johnson. Nearby were club owners, both major and minor leagues, managers and players.

At the table of the Federal league lawyers were President Gilmore, Chas. Weegman and others.

Both sides waived the technical question of jurisdiction raised by

Judge Landis and counsel for both parties declared their willingness to stand on their written appearances.

### Entry in the Suit

Briefly the facts in the suit follow:

The Federal league seeks to dissolve organized baseball which operates under the so-called national agreement as it alleged it violates the anti-trust law. Organized baseball includes virtually every league in the nation, exclusive of the Federal organization. The Federals also seek to enjoin the individual defendants from interfering with players now under contract to the federal organization and also asks that the contracts with players made by the defendants and each of them under the national agreement be declared null, void and of no effect.

If the Federals are successful in their quest for a temporary injunction steps will immediately be taken to obtain a permanent order.

Should contracts be declared null and void it would make "free agents" of all players except such as are now signed by equitable contracts.

The defense of organized baseball

that it is not operated in violation of the anti-trust law will be based on section six of the Clayton congress, recently passed by congress, it was said today. This section declares, "that the labor of a human being is not a commodity or article of commerce."

Arguments for the defendants will be presented by George Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia, counsel for the National league. He will be aided by S. L. Clement of Philadelphia and several other noted attorneys engaged by the individual defendants. Addington insisted that the national agreement covered reservations in addition to the individual contracts.

"A ball player is never a free agent," he declared. "If he progresses at all it is by being bought, traded or drafted."

"Even when a club releases him he is not a free agent. The contract which fixes his wages does not hold when he is transferred to the minors."

Although the old practice of farming players had been occasionally abandoned, Mr. Addington said that, had been succeeded by a practice which worked out in virtually the same way.

"Through it all the player is 'helpless,'" he said, "and the system which makes him so strikes at the very root of American institutions."

Mr. Addington said that, since the organization of the Federal league it had been observed that the national commission had been much more liberal in granting these appeals of players.

## CAN TAX SIGNS

Cities and Towns Have Right to License Signs and Collect Excise Tax

BOSTON, Jan. 20.—A direct tax by the state on public signs would be unconstitutional, although cities and towns have the right to license signs and collect an excise tax, according to the report of a special legislative committee filed today.

The committee suggested legislation that would clear up the legal aspects of the situation and would allow, if necessary, the submission to the voters of a constitutional amendment that would give the state the power to levy a direct tax on signs.

## LARCENY OF TOWN FUNDS

EDWARD P. MCCORD, OF PEPPER-BILL PLEADED NOT GUILTY TO CHARGE—HELD IN \$20,000

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 20.—Edward P. McCord, former tax collector of Pepper-Bill, pleaded not guilty today to an indictment charging the larceny of town funds. He furnished \$20,000 for his appearance for trial next month. The indictment was returned secretly last week.



## Special Sale of SUITS

We have put on sale our entire line of fancy \$15.00 Suits and some higher priced ones and made a special price for this week of

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There is not a suit in this lot that has been marked at less than \$15.00 this season. This is an unusual bargain, and we advise all of our friends and customers who need a suit to take advantage of our mark-down prices.

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## VOTING FRAUD CHARGES

GOVERNMENTAL INVESTIGATION  
IS PROMISED IN VERMONT—WILL  
NOT AFFECT GOVERNOR



GOV. CHARLES W. GATES

MONTEPELIER, Vt., Jan. 21.—Charles W. Gates is the new republican governor of this state. Vermont, one of the six little states in the Union, continues in the republican column again, Gates having succeeded Gov. Fletcher, republican. On top of the republican victory there comes charges of illegal voting and governmental investigation is promised. Frauds in Illinois resulted in wholesale arrests, and similar results may ensue in Vermont if the charges develop as promised. It is not claimed that the alleged illegal voting will affect Gov. Gates. His victory was clean cut.

## THE CAUSE OF ACCIDENTS

INDUSTRIAL BOARD SAYS MAJORITY OF ACCIDENTS IS THE FAULT OF EMPLOYERS

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 21.—A large majority of accidents to employees in the state of Massachusetts are due to the failure of employers to install safety devices and take a greater interest in safety work, according to the report filed with the legislature yesterday by the industrial accident board. There was an increase in the percentage of non-fatal injuries of nearly 7 per cent, and an increase in the percentage of fatal injuries of 28 per cent, during the past year.

In the textile industries 14,628 non-fatal injuries were reported, and 52 fatal injuries, and statistics compiled by the industrial accident board show that the textile industry is the second dangerous in the state surpassed only in point of danger to the workers by the iron and steel industry.

The annual payroll for manufacturing establishments of the state is given as \$450,000,000 and the cost of employees' insurance, based on that payroll, averages 1 per cent. The value of the manufactured products of these establishments is \$1,658,725,363, and the

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Time! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapiesin is noted for its speed in regulating the stomach. It is the surest, quickest and most certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

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Pape's Diapiesin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, flatulency or stomach derangement at day-time or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

Prompt Action Will Stop Your Cough. When you first catch a cold (often indicated by a sneeze or cough), break it up at once. The idea that "it does not matter" often leads to serious complications. The remedy which immediately and easily penetrates the lining of the throat is the kind demanded.

Dr. King's New Discovery cures the irritation, loosens the phlegm. You feel better at once. "It seemed to reach the very spot of my Cough" is one of many honest testimonials. 50c at your druggist.

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## HOMES OF WOMEN WRECKED BY THE INVADERS

Women Deserve a Better Fate.

American women are better off than their European sisters in most respects. Our American girls, however, are of highly nervous organization and usually suffer from troubles peculiar to their sex.

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, when women pass through the changes of middle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances.

At these critical times women are best fortified by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, an old remedy of proved worth that keeps the entire female system perfectly regulated and in excellent condition.

Mothers, if your daughters are weak, lack ambition, are troubled with headaches, lassitude and are pale and sickly, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is just what they need to surely bring the bloom of health to their cheeks and make them strong and healthy.

For all diseases peculiar to woman, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a powerful restorative. During the last 40 years it has banished from the lives of tens of thousands of women the pain, worry, misery and distress caused by irregularities and diseases of a feminine character.

If you are a sufferer, if your daughter, mother, sister needs help get Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in liquid or tablet form at any medicine dealer. Today, when a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, \$1.00, and you will receive confidential advice from a staff of specialists that will not cost you a penny. Today is the day; 136 page book on women's diseases sent free.

amount of wages paid is \$351,229,706. Insurance companies have paid out in benefits to injured employees since the workingmen's compensation act became effective the sum of \$376,002 of which \$1,677,330 was paid during the first year and the balance, \$2,739,522 was paid during the past year.

"During the year, there were 35,963 non-fatal and 608 fatal injuries," the report says, "as against 39,694 non-fatal and 474 fatal cases during the previous year. The sex distribution of the injuries shows that 57,576 men and 30,877 women were hurt and 602 men and six women killed. The increase in the percentage of accidents to the number of employees is alarmingly high and is undoubtedly due to the failure of employers to take greater interest in the safety work which the industrial accident board is fostering.

"A greater percentage of employees are covered by insurance than formerly, 47 per cent. of those filing reports of non-fatal injuries with the board stating that they were insured. More than 60,000 municipal and state employees have been covered under the statute during the past year. About 300,000 employees are now insured in Massachusetts.

The aggregate number of days lost as a result of industrial accidents during the past year was 1,197,737. This sum, added to the days lost during the first year of the law, makes a total of 2,345,524 days, or about 7850 working years, as a result of industrial injuries in Massachusetts since the act went into effect. Taking the days lost as a basis, an army of 3392 employees were constantly disabled for a full year. The wage loss as a result of this disablement last year was \$3,724,440, an increase of \$207,215 over the past year, or an additional loss of \$700 daily.

The report shows that nearly all the employees injured were those receiving very small wages. Not a single fatal injury of an employee earning \$25 a week or more has been reported in Massachusetts.

## NOW IN SUN BUILDING

HAROLD A. VARNUM AND RICHARD BRABROOK WALSH OPEN NEW LAW OFFICES

Friends of Messrs. Richard Brabrook Walsh and Harold A. Varnum will be interested in their announcement that they have opened law offices together at rooms 410-412 Sun building.

Mr. Walsh is the son of Alonzo G. Walsh, well known in financial circles and state politics. During the past four years Mr. Walsh, Jr., has been associated in law practice with Messrs. Fred L. Norton and George H. Brown of Boston with offices in the Tremont building.

Mr. Varnum is the son of the late Atkinson C. Varnum, whom the older generation will remember as an attorney for many years associated with the law office of Daniel S. and George H. Richardson. Harold A. Varnum, since his admission to the bar in 1906, has had offices with Messrs. Trull & Wier in Central street.

Both these young men are graduates of the Lowell high school, class of 1899. Mr. Walsh is a graduate of Harvard college and Harvard law school, and Mr. Varnum of Amherst college and Harvard law school. Their new offices in the Sun building are located on the fourth floor and are finely appointed.

## ST. COLUMBA'S REUNION

General Committee Held Enthusiastic Meeting—Farmers' Ball Will Be Feature

The general committee in charge of St. Columba's parish reunion which will be held in the Associate hall on Feb. 3, held a very enthusiastic meeting in the parish hall last evening and discussed plans to make this year's event even a greater success than last year's affair.

It was decided to hold a farmers' ball in connection with the reunion, and this feature will be in charge of the entertainment committee, Joseph L. Cunningham, chairman. Mr. Cunningham has had considerable experience in the management of successful events and as he is surrounded by a number of capable assistants who are working zealously on the arrangements, indications point to a highly enjoyable entertainment.

Tonight a whist party will be held in the parish hall. On Saturday afternoon and evening the refreshment committee will hold a bean supper in G. A. R. hall and Mrs. Monahan, who is in charge, has made arrangements to serve a large crowd.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

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OUR SEMI-ANNUAL

## Twenty-Five Cent Sale

OPENS TOMORROW MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK AND WILL CONTINUE FOR THREE DAYS—FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

It's a positive fact that the values we offer in our 25c Sales are the best ever offered in Lowell. During this sale we are going to beat all previous records. We take stock February 1st, and will sacrifice profits on all lots we do not intend carrying over. Every article or group of articles is 25c—nothing higher.

Every department is represented in this 25 Cent Sale. Cost price is lost sight of; so that no matter what you need you are almost certain of securing it here tomorrow for a QUARTER. The greatest price-slashing in Lowell FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY. Profits thrown to the wind.

Ruinous prices will prevail. The values run from 39c up as high as a dollar. This naturally means that some items will go with a rush and may not last throughout the day—so that the early comers will be sure of biggest values. Other values will be added from time to time, so as to keep the bargain interest up to the highest pitch up to Monday night.

DOORS OPEN AT 9 A. M.

## 25c SALE OF SHIRT WAISTS

Lingerie and Semi-Tailored Waists, counter mused, broken lots and sizes. Made of voile and soisette, in long and short sleeves, high and low necks; very good values. Specials for this sale. Worth \$1.00. Sale price.....25c

## 25c SALE OF HOUSE DRESSES

Women's One-piece Percale House Dresses. Regular price 89c. Sale price.....25c Each

## 25c SALE, INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 2 to 5 years. Regular price 49c. Sale price.....25c  
Infants' Flannelette Slips. Regular price 39c. Sale price.....25c  
Infants' Flannelette Petticoats. Regular price 39c. Sale price.....25c  
Infants' Wool Bands. Regular price 25c each. Sale price.....2 for 25c

## 25c SALE OF COTTON WASH GOODS

7c Prints, light or dark. Sale price.....5 Yards for 25c  
15c Poplins, all colors. Sale price.....2 Yards for 25c  
10c Yard Wide Percales, all colors. Sale price.....3 1/4 Yards for 25c  
8c Outing Flannel. Sale price.....4 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE IN LINEN DEPT. (Main Floor)

25 dozen Scarfs and Squares; size of Scarfs 18x54; Squares 30x30; trimmed with torklon lace. Regular prices 75c and \$1.00. Sale price.....25c Each  
25c Linen Tray Cloths. Sale price.....3 for 25c  
\$1.25 Japanese Drawn Work Lunch Cloths, size 45x45. No telephone orders. Sale price.....25c Each  
49c Bleached Sheets, size 72x90. Sale price.....25c  
12 1/2c Bleached Pillow Cases, size 42x36. Sale price.....3 for 25c  
10c English Long Cloth, 36 in. wide. Sale price.....4 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE OF NOTIONS

Clark's Mill End and J. P. Coats' Spool Cotton, all colors. Regular price 5c each. 6 Spools for 25c  
John J. Clark's Spool Cotton. Regular price 4c. Sale price.....13 Spools 25c  
Hooks and Eyes. Regular price 5c card. Sale price.....13 Cards for 25c  
Spring Fasteners, all sizes. Regular price 10c. Sale price.....4 Doz. for 25c  
Sewing Silk, 100 yard spools. Regular price 5c. Sale price.....7 Spools 25c

## 25c SALE OF SILKS

Plain and Dotted Silk, 27 inches wide. Regular price 25c a yard. Sale price.....2 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE OF DRESS GOODS

38 inch wide Poplin Serge, in the newest shades. Regular price 39c a yard. Sale price.....25c Yard

## 25c SALE OF HOSIERY

Women's Black Cotton Hose, double sole, heel and toe; double garter tops. A regular 19c quality. Sale price.....2 Pairs 25c  
Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors; double sole, heel and toe. A 19c value. Sale price.....2 for 25c  
Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1-1 rib; double knee, heel and toe; 12 1/2c value. Sale price.....4 Pairs 25c

## 25c SALE OF GLOVES

A broken lot of Women's Two Clasp Kid Gloves, in black and white only, with the new Paris point backs. Regular price \$1.00. Sale price.....25c Pair  
Women's Two Clasp Chamisette Gloves, in white and natural; a good washable glove. Regular price 39c. Sale price.....25c Pair

Women's Cashmere Gloves, in tan, black, navy, garnet. A regular 25c value. Sale price.....2 Pairs for 25c

Children's Mitts, in brown, navy, white and red. A regular 15c quality. Sale price.....2 for 25c

## 25c SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Corset Covers of good quality Nainsook, in a variety of lace and embroidery trimmed. Regular price 39c. Sale price.....25c  
Women's Drawers, with cluster of tucks and deep ruffle of eyelet or blind embroidery; open and closed; some slightly counter mused. Regular price 39c pair. Sale price.....25c  
Night Robes of good Nainsook, with yoke of embroidery; others edged with lace and ribbon drawn. Some counter mused. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c

## 25c SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

27 in. Flouncing of fine Swiss, with large eyelet designs. Regular price 50c yard. Sale price.....25c Yard  
Cambric Insertions and Edges. Regular price 10c yard. Sale price.....6 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE OF TOILET GOODS

Hair Brushes, in maple, mahogany and ebony finish, with finest quality white bristles; large and medium sizes. Regular 50c value. Sale price.....25c  
Fine quality imported White Ivory Dressing Combs, all coarse or coarse and fine. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c  
Rose, Violet and San Toy Talcum Powder. Regular price 19c a can. Sale price.....2 for 25c  
Tooth Brushes and Nail Brushes. Regular 19c value. Sale price.....3 for 25c  
Jewelled Hair Barrettes, in amber, shell and pearl; an assortment of styles to choose from. Regular 50c, 75c and \$1.00 values. Sale price.....25c Each  
Silk Girdle Belts in black, green, navy, royal blue, pale blue, pink, yellow, Nile green, cerise, brown, black and white stripes, plaid and Roman stripes. Values up to \$1.00. Sale price.....25c

## 25c SALE IN OUR RUG AND DRAPERY DEPT.

Colored Curtain Serim, 12 1/2c value. 3 Yards for 25c  
Figured Cretonne, 19c value. 2 Yards for 25c  
Colored Madras Lace, 25c value. 2 Yards for 25c  
Curtain Muslin, 12 1/2c value. 3 Yards for 25c  
Curtain Rod Extension, 10c value. 3 Rods for 25c  
Curtain Rods, curved ends, 15c value. 2 Rods for 25c  
Sash Curtain Rods, 5c value. 7 Rods for 25c  
Window Shades, with crocheted ring pull, 35c value. Complete for.....25c  
Floor Oil Cloths, 35c value. Special sale price.....25c a Yard  
Hemp Stair Carpet, extra heavy, 35c value. Special sale price.....25c a Yard  
Hodges Fiber Matting, 4 yard to 10 yard pieces, 35c value. Special sale price.....2 Yards for 25c

25 CENT SALE

## 25c SALE OF WOMEN'S NECKWEAR

Women's Muslin and Swiss Collars. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c  
Women's Swiss Collar and Cuff Sets. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c  
Women's Embroidered Collars. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c

## 25c SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 12 1/2c. Sale price.....3 for 25c  
Women's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 10c. Sale price.....6 for 25c  
Men's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 5c. Sale price.....9 for 25c  
Men's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 10c. Sale price.....6 for 25c

## 25c SALE IN MILLINERY DEPT.

Children's Corduroy Hats, with small fancy feathers. Regular price 95c. Sale price.....25c  
Children's and Misses' French Felt Hats, in several colors. Value up to \$1.25. Sale price.....25c

## 25c SALE OF APRONS

Kimono Aprons, made of Scout Percale, in blue and gray; full size and width. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c  
Gingham Aprons with band. Regular price 19c. Sale price.....2 for 25c

## 25c SALE OF KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Fleeved Vests, high neck, long and short sleeves. 33c quality. Sale price.....25c  
Women's Fleece Pants, ankle length; 33c quality. Sale price.....25c  
Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless and lace bottom; 30c quality. Sale price.....25c  
Boys' Balbriggan Shirts, high neck and long sleeves; 25c quality. Sale price.....2 for 25c  
Boys' Balbriggan Drawers, ankle length; 25c quality. Sale price.....2 for 25c





# RICH AMERICAN PRINCESS DIVORCED FROM PRINCE FRANCIS AUERSPERG



PRINCESS AUERSPERG

A decree of divorce from Prince Francis Maria Joseph Auersperg has been awarded to Princess Florence Elizabeth Hazard Auersperg in the court of chancery at Trenton, N. J. The princess is a daughter of the late Edward C. Hazard, wealthy cotton manufacturer, and the prince is a son of a one-time premier of Austria. He is a graduate of the Long Island College hospital and is now at the head of the Austrian Red Cross service in Silesia.

Miss Hazard met the prince when she was in her sixteenth year and he was a medical student. They were married at the Hazard home at Shrewsbury major, near Long Branch, N. J., in June, 1893, a year after they met. The prince was born in Prague in 1863 and had previously been an officer in the Austrian army. He is said to have spent his fortune and came to the United States to make his own way.

## CY BARTON CELEBRATES

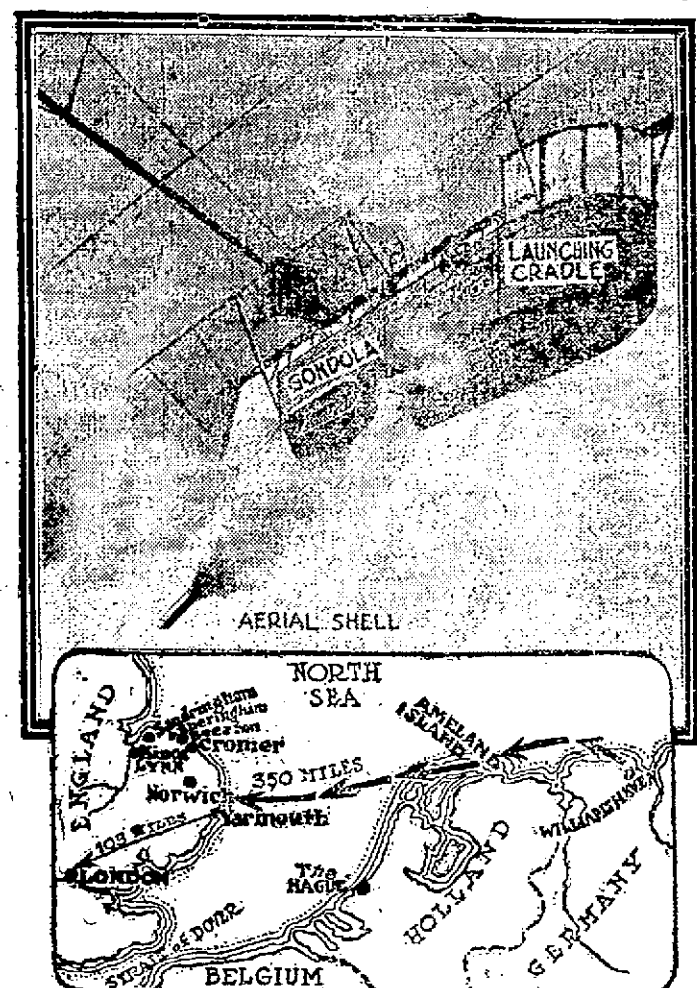
THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS MARRIAGE OBSERVED AT HIS HOME ON WALKER STREET

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Barton, a well known couple of this city, are today observing the 30th anniversary of their marriage. There is no formal celebration of the event, but many friends and relatives took occasion to call at the home of the couple, 73 South Walker street, and offer congratulations and best wishes.

Cyrus Barton was born at Croydon, N. H., on Feb. 27, 1862, and came to this city when still in his teens. Thirty years ago he was united in marriage to Miss Marion C. Griffin, who was born in Lowell, Aug. 10, 1865. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Smith Baker, now pastor emeritus of the First Congregational church. Mr. Barton is a mason contractor and has been very successful in his business. The couple have two sons, Sidney C. of this city and Charles L., who holds a responsible position at the Abbott school at Farmington, Me.

Carnival, Broderick's, Asso., Pri.

## MORE ZEPPELIN RAIDS EXPECTED FOLLOWING SUCCESSFUL ATTACK



LONDON, Jan. 21.—An attack on a deadly weapon itself consists of a London itself was more than ever pointed shell, approximately twenty bombs on six towns in Norfolk, 105 miles northeast of London, killing from four to six persons and injuring several more, besides doing much damage to property. The six towns visited were Yarmouth, Cromer, Beccles, Sheringham, Kings Lynn and Sandringham, the country seat of the late King Edward VII. and the home of Dowager Queen Alexandra. The German Zeppelins, which in turn drives a powerful turbine in the rear of the torpedo, and by this means it is driven forward at a high velocity and at the same time imparts a rapid rotating motion as if it were fired from a rifled cannon, which, of course, adds considerably to its efficiency. The aerial torpedo has a stout shell of steel and gives off a gas flame which, of course, would be dangerous to a gas filled Zeppelin. The impetus imparted to the torpedo by the turbine is remarkable and, allowing for the speed of the airship, the torpedo sent upon its journey by simply pressing a trigger. This is pictured in the accompanying cut. The

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Roman Striped Crepe de Chine  
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Crepe de Chine Waists in white, maize, pink and sand colors; \$2.97 values. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.69

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that formerly sold at \$17.50  
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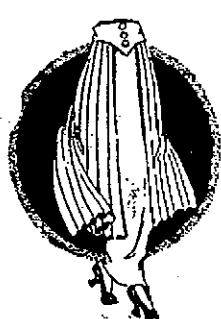
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Broadcloths, Men's Wear Serges,  
French Serge, Garbardine, Wool  
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Cloth and English Cheviots.

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**MEN'S SAMPLE SHOES**—Made in gun metal, patent and Russian leathers, in lace, blucher and button; all Goodyear welts. Regular prices \$2.50 to \$3.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.98

**WOMEN'S SHOES**—Made in patent, gun metal, Russian-Velvet and Suede—recede last with kidney heel, cloth top, broad last with low heel. Regular prices \$2.50 to \$3.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.49

**WOMAN'S FELT SLIPPERS**—Felt and leather soles, assorted colors, all sizes. Regular price 40c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 19c

**BOYS' STORM SHOES**—Heavy grain leather, high cut with two full soles. Black and tan. Sizes 2½ to 6. Regular price \$2.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.98

**LITTLE BOYS' STORM SHOES**—Black only, oil grain, high buckle tops, sizes 10 to 12½. Regular price \$2.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.49

**GIRLS' SHOES**—Made in gun metal, button style. Good year welt, solid oak tan soles. Sizes 1½ to 2, widths C, D and E. Regular price \$2.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.50

## SPECIALS FROM OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

**WOMEN'S TRIMMED VELVET HATS**—Regularly sold for \$5 and \$8.50. Marked to close \$2.98

**WOMEN'S TRIMMED VELVET HATS**—Regularly sold for \$2.98 and \$4.50. Marked to close \$1.00

**WOMEN'S UNTRIMMED HATS**—Regularly sold for 95c and \$1.98. Marked to close 49c

**WOMEN'S UNTRIMMED HATS**—Regularly sold for \$1.98 and \$2.98. Marked to close 98c

**LARGE LOT OF CHILDREN'S TRIMMED HATS**—regularly sold for \$1.39 and \$1.75. Marked to close 50c

**LOT OF CHILDREN'S UNTRIMMED HATS**—Regularly sold for 89c and 93c. Marked to close 39c

## DRAPERY DEPT. SPECIALS—FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

**MERCERIZED ARMURE PORTIERES**, in green, red and browns, in all the wanted colors; \$2.50 values for \$1.75

\$3.00 values for \$2.25 \$5.50 values for \$4.00  
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## PARISH SUPPER GIVEN

The first parish supper given by the Penitential society in the new parish house of St. Anne's church was a very delightful affair. Two hundred people were provided for and the supper was an excellent one. Mrs. J. C. Melton had general charge of the supper and she was assisted by the following: Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Riney, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Sweetser, Mrs. Sprague, Mrs. Teeson, Mrs. Best, Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. McGannon, Miss Cushing and Miss Carleton.

## WOMEN'S FEDERATION

At its meeting yesterday the maternal department of the Women's Federation listened to a very interesting paper by Mrs. Clapp on the training of young people. Tea was served by Mrs. George Ames, Mrs. John Thomas, Mrs. Thomas Tiffany and Mrs. William Wright.

## PERSONALS

Albert Bergeron, of this city, is visiting in Manchester, N. H.  
Miss Esther Bullard, of this city, is the guest of relatives at Manchester, N. H.  
Albert Guilbault, of Aiken street, was operated upon at the Lowell hospital yesterday for appendicitis.  
Mrs. S. C. Blaisdell, of 229 East Merrimack st., is entertaining her son and

## daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Blaisdell of Newport, Vt.

Miss Gertrude English has returned to this city after being the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice English of South Groveland.  
Miss Laurence Belanger of Fletcher street left last night for St. Jean des Chailons, Que., where she will make her home.

## MINER'S TONIGHT, LINCOLN HALL

If you like good butter at 1c lb., get it at the Brookside Butter Store, 107 Gorham st.

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Ladd and Whitney post, 155, G. A. R., last evening, was preceded by the usual baked bean supper, and at the session that followed, Commander Caverly in the chair, taps were sounded by Geo. E. Bryant, bugler, and lights were extinguished, in respect to our late comrade, Ezekiel Cheever Gage, who was buried Jan. 14, in Polham, N. H. The following committees were appointed: Auditing: J. A. Bartlett & S. Clough and Chas. E. Chase.  
Memorial day: A. I. Gilman, Frank

## COBURN, W. B. Boudinot, F. S. Pevey

and W. A. Arnold, Bartlett, F. S. Pevey, J. M. Spurr, G. E. Bryant and Amos Winters.  
An invitation was received and accepted from the Centralville M. E. church to attend a lecture on "Old Glory and the Boys in Blue" Sunday evening, Feb. 7, by Comrade Pierce. The post will form in the vestry of the church and go as a body to the auditorium at 6.30 o'clock. A letter from Circle No. 5, Ladies of the Grand Army was received inviting the post to be their guests at their banquet on Memorial day; the invitation was accepted.

## S. H. Hines Lodge, K. of P.

At this week's meeting of Samuel H. Hines lodge, K. of P., the following officers were installed by Acting Deputy James McKelvie of Black River lodge of Lawrence: C. C. Archie D. Rump; P. Robert O. Hughes; K. R. S. Robert J. Fullerton; M. C. Alvan E. Joy; I. G. Carl O. Johnson; V. C. Daniel E. Starkey; M. W. Charles F. Holsington; M. E. Alfred C. Dugdale; M. A. Richard A. Towle; O. G. Charles H. Jordan. At the close of the installation a luncheon was served by the entertainment committee.

## Highland Rebekah Lodge

The following newly elected officers of Highland Union Rebekah lodge have been installed by District Deputy Lillian M. Jacobs and suite: Noble grand,

## Emily S. Kittredge; vice grand, Etta C.

Watson; recording secretary, Grace L. Gillis; financial secretary, Charlotte Dyer; treasurer, Gertrude Taylor; trustee, Maud A. Lang; conductor, Celia Lane; warden, Carrie E. Harvey; chaplain, Eliza Spaulding; R. S. N. G. Maud A. Lang; L. S. N. G. Lydia A. Riggs; R. S. V. G. Mabel Jones; outside guard, Mary J. Sawtelle; inside guard, Mary A. Clark. At the close of the ceremony the district deputy, in behalf of the lodge, presented the retiring noble grand, Lizzie E. Downs, a beautiful jeweled emblem.

## Industry Council Installation

The annual installation of officers of Industry council, 1122, Royal Arcanum, took place last evening in Odd Fellows hall with 300 members and Royal Arcanumites from other councils present. A splendid program was carried out during the evening and an appetizing turkey supper was served by Caterer R. J. Harvey.

## The meeting was called to order by

Regent A. E. Rountree and a list of routine business was transacted. The auditors reported an interesting report of the council for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1914. The report showed the council to be in a good financial condition. Other reports of officers and committees were also read.

The following officers were installed

## by Supervising Deputy Grand Regent

Herbert A. Billings of Boston, assisted by Grand Guide Wm. L. Kent, also of Boston: Representatives to the grand council, A. E. Rountree, Dr. Joseph A. Mehan; alternates, John W. Sharkey and Dr. Hugh Walker; regent, Harvey J. Chase; vice regent, George L. Sanford; orator, Thomas H. Wilson; singing past regent, A. E. Rountree; secretary, J. W. Sharkey; collector, James E. Gorman; treasurer, Charles E. O'Donnell; chaplain, John McKelvie; guide, George H. Desrochers; warden, John J. Hogan; sentry, Jas. W. Tully; trustee for three years, James W. McKenna; representative to R. A. L. L. association, James Dunn.

## The following musical program

also given: Selection, Marked; chakra; remarks, S. D. G. R. J. Billings; songs and stories, John Donnelly; remarks, G. H. Wilson; Kelt; songs, John T. Myers; recitation, Thomas Baxter; monologue, old-Hennessy; finale, orchestra members, "Auld Lang Syne."



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# THE "BATTLER" INSULTED

Nelson Accused of Being "Soakum Yoakum's" Brother — Won't Stand for it

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Battling Nelson has been grossly insulted.

"It happened this way," declared Bat. "When I was in one of the big towns in the west recently a fellow came to me and told me that there was a fighter in town that was a dead ringer for me. He's your double, Bat, this fellow told me. That excited me curiously and so I looked up that fighter. I wanted to see what my face looked like when it was hitched on to another fellow.

"Say, who do you think that 'double' of mine was? Nobody else but Soakum Yoakum, Gee Whizz! I may not be a thing of beauty nor a joy forever, but I certainly think that I'm a handsome guy in comparison with that Soakum Yoakum. He's the built—honestly, he is. You can bet on it that if I ever catch up with that guy who claimed that homely Soakum Yoakum looked like me—or that I looked like him—I'm going to soak that guy and soak him darned good, too."

Ad Wolgast put the dinger on Nelson something like five years ago. Other lightweights have arisen to the heights, since then, but somehow or other Battling Nelson remains as the idol of pugilistic fandom. Bat always gave the public its money's worth. He always fought. He never stalled. He was game to the core and he always fought fair. And the fans love him just as much today as they did when he ruled as king of the lightweight division.

## Anxious to Come Back

Bat, after a long lay-off is yearning for a "comeback." He is sure that he can beat the best man of his class, and he wants to scrap any man in the division. He's particularly anxious to swap punches with Ad Wolgast.

"He best me once, but he can't do it again," says Bat. "I'm still good. I'm 30 years old, but I've always kept in good shape. I've never dissipated. I admit that I lost my speed some few years ago but I think that was because I fought too often. It sapped my vitality. The lay-off I've had has enabled me to get back into trim again and I feel certain that I can beat the best man in my class right now."

Bat is credited with being one of the tightest fisted gents that ever shared a dollar through pugilistic endeavor. "This said that Bat has the first dollar he ever earned and all the other fights with interest and account. But that is not true," Bat became known as a "tight wad" because he refused to do what other pugs did—

## HELD PARISH SUPPER

REPORTS OF YEAR PRESENTED AT HIGH STREET CHURCH—TRIBUTE TO THE MRS. STOTT

The annual parish supper of the High street church was held last evening and the reports of the various committees were very encouraging. The pastor, Rev. Allan Conant, was a moderator. H. Kirke White was chairman of the evening. Haven G. Miller reported for the year. The sum of \$1100 was spent for repairs and alterations during the year. The Women's Aid society of the church presented an appreciation of the late Mrs. Charles A. Stott as follows:

The long connection of Mrs. Stott with the church, and her active participation in the work of the church, and the great helpfulness of her relation to the society make it very fitting that at this first annual parish supper since her death an expression of appreciation of her services should be made by the society, as well as of the esteem and affection in which she was held by the women of the parish.

By her grace of manner, her kindness and sympathy and her beautiful Christian character, Mrs. Stott won our hearts. Her graciousness and generosity were unfeigned, her calmness and serenity were a source of strength, and her rare optimism was an inspiration to us all, and a potent element in her success as an organizer and administrator in the many philanthropies in which she was interested.

We are reminded at this time that this annual gathering of the members of the parish of High street church, as a custom, owes its origin to the personal efforts and efficiency of Mrs. Stott.

Eight years ago Mrs. Stott was, by unanimous desire of the women of the parish, chosen president of the Women's Aid society, an office which, by the same unanimous desire, she continued to fill until last May, when she was made honorary president, as a token of our love and of our appreciation of her services in the past.

Not only in this church, but in the city at large, Mrs. Stott was ever active in the cause of charity and benevolence, and was widely recognized as an efficient and enthusiastic leader. Therefore, grateful for her many years of helpfulness and usefulness, for her friendship and loyalty, the women of High street church give this sincere expression of their gratitude and affection, and extend to the members of her family their heartfelt sympathy with them in the loss of their beloved mother.

## LOWELL FIREMEN'S RELIEF

LIST OF LOWELL MEN ADDED TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AS RESULT OF ELECTION

The annual election of officers of the Lowell Firemen's Relief Fund association has been held with the following result:

President, Lieut. Thomas F. Saun-

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Walnutta Hair Stain

quander his money on high living. Those who know Bat intimately know him as a fellow whose bank-roll is ever at the disposal of friends in need. And they know him as a man who does things for friends and who never courts publicity because of it.

Some years ago a prize fight manager died when he was in Bat's debt for \$1100. When word came to Bat about his death, Bat got the notes covering the \$1100, tore them up and tossed them into a fire.

"I might cash in suddenly myself," he said, "and I don't want the executors of my estate to get hold of these and used them as a claim against the estate that the other fellow left. It was little enough and his widow needs it all."

Phineas Hospital Bills Kid Farmer, a welterweight of some prominence a few years ago, was stricken with tuberculosis. He was broke. Nelson heard about it, and financed his trip to Denver. Every month Nelson sends him a check to cover his expenses.

Bat Nelson did something back in 1913 that no other fighter ever did before. He paid \$132 for the privilege of fighting.

It happened in Pamaqua, Pa., on Feb. 11, 1913. Nelson was matched to fight Harry Dillon. The promoter was Bill Andrews, a friend of Bat's, a man who had helped Bat in his early days as a fighter.

A terrific storm began raging late that afternoon and when the time drew near for the fight the snow was piled in drifts so high that it paralyzed the crowd. Hundreds of men who had planned to come from nearby towns.

There was just a handful of fans in the house when the fighters were ready to enter the ring. Andrews went to Nelson and explained the situation. "We've taken in just about enough to pay for lights and hall rent and about half of Dillon's guarantee," he said. "I haven't got a dollar to pay you your guarantee."

"That's all right, Bill," answered Bat. "No use calling off this bout. Let it go on. I'll do without divvy and make up the difference between what you've taken in and what Dillon's guarantee is."

Nelson scored a knockout over Dillon. After the fight was over Andrews counted the proceeds. "I'm \$132 shy of what I need to pay Dillon," he said.

"Here it is," said Bat, giving Andrews his check for that amount. "I'm glad to do it. Bill, to show you that I appreciate your kindnesses of the other days."

dear; vice president, James W. Jantzen; treasurer, Edward P. Cunningham; secretary, A. B. Strout. Representing representatives were chosen to the board of directors from the departments and houses mentioned: Board of engineers, District Chief James E. Sullivan and C. A. Alway; Engine 1, Robert Olley and James Jantzen;

Engine 2, George A. Crawford and Charles L. Crowley; Engine 3, Frank E. Turner and B. F. Mooney;

Engine 4, D. J. Mooney and Patrick Finnerty;

Engine 5, Jay D. Ismond and Arthur B. Strout;

Engine 6, John J. Murphy and John J. Murray;

Hose 1, Capt. James F. McKilloch and William Lane;

Hose 2, Joseph P. Convery and Wm. Lambert;

Hose 3, Frank A. Kappier and Alfred P. Prescott;

Hose 4, David Laferriere and Roger J. Hayes;

Hose 5, Frank McNally and Michael O'Connor;

Hose 6, Lieut. Charles A. Abare and Samuel Landry;

Truck 1, James Lannon and Chas. Mehan;

Truck 2, Quincy A. Foster and Hamlin Gardner;

Truck 3, Thomas F. Saunders and Edw. Deardth;

Truck 4, Capt. Joseph d'Amour and Reclus Replac.

Practical Harold Foster and Edward P. Cunningham.

MR. LEONARD NOT GUILTY

CONCORD STREET DEALER ACQUITTED IN SUPERIOR COURT ON CHARGE OF ILLEGAL SELLING

TERENCE D. Leonard of this city was found not guilty of a violation of the conditions of his fourth class liquor license by a jury in the superior court at East Cambridge yesterday. It was alleged that Leonard or one of his clerks sold liquor by the glass to customers but the evidence did not satisfy the jury, and he was acquitted. William A. Hogan appeared for the defendant.

BRITISH AMERICAN CLUB

HENRY A. WISBY PRESENTED

MOVING CUP FOR HIS WORK FOR RELIEF FUND

The British-American Social club met last evening in Post 120 hall, with President N. McN. Watters in the chair. It was announced that the proceeds of the benefit concert given in December would be over \$450. A feature of the evening was the presentation of a silver loving cup to Henry A. Wisby by President Watters, in recognition of his work in raising money for the Prince of Wales fund. Refreshments were served and plans for the club's future were discussed.

MINSTREL SHOW AT FARM

Mayor Murphy is arranging for a minstrel performance at the Chelmsford street hospital to be held Wednesday evening, Feb. 17. The performance will be held in the big hall at the institution and will be given by members of the South End club.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

## CHRONIC CONSTIPATION

Much disease, trouble, suffering, depression and worry, usually blamed to other causes is due to constipation. Even chronic constipation can be corrected by care in the diet and proper treatment with a gentle laxative. The use of harmful laxatives, unfortunately so common, gives temporary relief but in the end aggravates constipation. Pinklets are dainty sugar-coated granules, they act gently, causing no nausea or griping. They clear away the waste and prevent congestion. With a little persistence, which the result is well worth. Pinklets really correct chronic constipation. Write the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for free sample or get a full-size 35c bottle of Pinklets from your own druggist.

## FACTORY LEAGUE

Tremont and Suffolk in Lead—Jodoin Has Top Average

The official standing and averages of the Manufacturers Bowling league as turned in by Secretary Farrell finds the Tremont & Suffolk still leading, followed closely by the Buntings and Merrimacks. The Merrimack team has shot into the races owing to the superb rolling of Pantan and McNeil. Jodoin of the T. & S. quintet leads the average list with 98.24. McDermott is next with 97.19. E. O'Brien is third with 96.7. Arrangements are to be made for tournaments with the different societies in the city. The Y. M. C. I. were defeated in their recent meeting with the Manufacturers teams.

Teams	Won	Lost	Tot
Tremont & Suffolk	28	8	18,922
U. S. Bunting	26	10	16,515
Merrimack Mfg. Co.	25	11	16,363
B. & M. repair shops	19	16	16,523
Mass. Mfg. Co.	18	16	16,611
Carbridge Co.	10	11	10,100
Hamilton Co.	12	21	15,646
Mohair Plush Co.	12	27	15,064
Fields Lumber Co.	5	27	8,061
John Phillips Shoe	2	25	1,342

High team total, first, Tremont & Suffolk, 1160.  
Second, U. S. Carbridge, 1143.  
High team single, first, U. S. Bunting, 515.

Second, Tremont & Suffolk, 513.  
Highest second three strings, first, Williams, Mass., 327.  
Second and third, Jodoin, T. & S., and Lane, Buntings, tied, 325.  
High single second, McNeil, Merrimack, 132.  
Chandler, B. & M., 131.  
Chandler, B. & M., 122.

AVERAGES OVER 90	Score
Jodoin, T. & S.	98.24
McDermott, T. & S.	97.19
E. O'Brien, Carbridge	96.7
Buntley, Buntings	96.03
McNeil, Merrimacks	95.24
Pantan, Merrimacks	95.20
Lane, Buntings	94.27
Paul, Hamilton	94.10
Williams, Mass.	94.10
Chandler, B. & M.	94.02
Boyle, Mass.	93.10
Tickets, B. & M.	93.04
Thalen, T. & S.	92.93
Halfkenny, T. & S.	92.27
Moran, Mass.	92.23
Downey, Merrimacks	92.03
Arnold, U. S. Carbridge	91.83
Quirk, U. S. Carbridge	91.08
Smith, Buntings	91.00
Cameron, B. & M.	91.11
Gleason, U. S. Carbridge	91.01
Ritter, Buntings	91.01
Burt, Buntings	90.15
Nickerson, B. & M.	90.07
Knight, Mohair Plush	90.01

## LEAGUE NOTES

Jodoin is hitting the maples in fine style.  
Lane is a member of Carr's City league team.  
Pantan is a fine anchor man for the Merrimacks.

F. O'Brien of the Carbridge Co. is one of the best bowlers in Lowell.  
The All-Stars are too fast for the Lowell teams.  
McDermott, captain of the T. & S. team, is a member of the Crescents.

Williams, Mass. team is the mainstay of his team.  
Big meeting Thursday night. Every captain is requested to attend—very important.

## THE CITY LEAGUE

Tuesday night's games in the City league caused no change in the standing, the leaders carrying off all the honors. The White Ways got four points without a struggle from the Y. M. C. I., while the Crescents and Row-aways also took four points from the Brunswicks and Carr's teams, respectively. Concannon still leads in the individual average with Davis second and Kempton third. Davis in his first City league game pulled out an average of 103.1. The standing of the teams and the individual bowlers are as follows: Concannon 103.1, Davis 102.1, Kempton 102.25, Myrick 102.17, Marlet 101.23, Keller 101.15, Marlet 100, Noll 99.30, Devlin 99.22, Jewett 99.17, Flanders 99.7, Lebrun 99, Mosher 99, Chubbott 98.17, Hall 98.12, Curry 98.11, McNeil 98.2, Martin 97.30, McQuade 97.22, Walsh 97.19, O'Brien 97.10, McCormack 97.7, O'Day 97.6, Noonan 97.6, McDermott 96.24, Kittredge 97.4, Perrin 96.25, Wynne 96.21, Johnson 96.19, Cole 96.7, Moran 95.1.

## STANDING OF THE TEAMS

White Ways	Won	Lost	Tot
Crescents	35	15	18,512
Bowlaways	31	20	18,882
Kittredge's	26	28	18,321
Carr's	21	28	18,710
Les Miserables	20	32	18,437
Brunswicks	17	35	18,049
Y. M. C. I.	11	35	16,702

## LEAGUE RECORDS

High team total, White Ways, 1576.  
Second, Crescents, 1550.  
High team single, Crescents 517.  
Second, White Ways, 516.  
Individual three strings, Kempton, 539.  
Second, Concannon, 352.  
Individual one string, Kelley, 152.  
Second, Concannon, 156.

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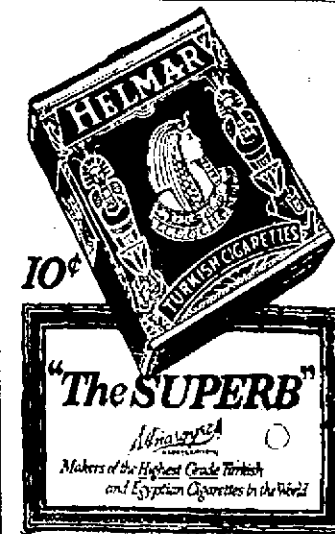
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## ATHLETES AND ATHLETICS

If Hugh McKinnon's independent league goes through and proves to be the only circuit in New England, Lowell will be without professional baseball representation, according to the present plans of the Federal promoter. McKinnon has chosen Springfield, New Haven and Waterbury in the Eastern association, and Manchester, Lawrence and Portland in the New England league circuit as "sure things" for next season in the minor outflow combination. He states that in each of the above named cities the Feds have already procured parks and made the necessary arrangements for a club's home.

Can you imagine what Hughie Duffy is saying to himself about this time? If McKinnon's plans do not fail, the Maine City will be presented with another ball club next spring.

Portland proved a miniature gold mine for Duffy the first season that he opened up down there and last season Hughie made money without a doubt. But what will become of him if the Feds start an opposition team in his own little ballclub? Will it be war or will he be peace?

The way the thing looks now is this: McKinnon is going ahead with his plans for a new circuit and it is generally known that he is the accredited representative of the Federal league. If the cities which McKinnon picks out as the most likely money makers will come across with their ball clubs, that is, either sell them or their lot with the Feds, why all will be well and good. But if they do not consent to such an arrangement it will mean war and McKinnon will then produce another minor league team in the same city.

The proposed merger of New England league cities with the towns now in the Eastern association is all right enough, but what's to become of us? Is Lowell going to be left out in the cold? So far we have seen no assurance to the contrary.

There are more than eight good towns along the two circuits to pick from. Worcester, Springfield, Hartford, New Haven, Bridgeport, New London, Lawrence, Portland, Lynn are all good baseball cities. It wouldn't be at all necessary for an organization of this sort to take in Lowell, for Lynn is close enough to take the place heretofore filled by the Lowell team for holiday games with Lawrence.

This same Hugh McKinnon is a wise one. He is figuring things very shrewdly in every move that he makes in his effort to effect a new minor league organization which his employers, the Feds, will fondle.

McKinnon also appears to be using very good judgment in what he says and how he says it. He hasn't distributed a single threat to any O. B. man nor has he showed the slightest inclination to bring about a minor league war.

In speaking of the Hartford and Worcester situations McKinnon stated that he did not think either of these cities would be represented in his league at the start of the season, but felt positive that later on both cities would join. "Jim Clarkin and Jesse Burkett are two pretty shrewd men," said McKinnon, and he hit the ball on the head. "There isn't a club owner in either the New England or Eastern Association who, if he found himself barred out otherwise, wouldn't welcome the Feds with open arms. And why not? What has O. B. done for the owners of the class B clubs? Little or nothing when one stops to consider that if it were not for the minors the majors couldn't exist or at best would put forth an entirely inferior brand of baseball from the present day variety. O. B. is not owed anything by minor league owners, especially in this section."

Before the suit now pending against O. B. is over there is bound to be some lively talk in that Chicago court room where the case is being heard. Already the Feds and O. B. have come out with two directly opposite assertions one of which must be untrue. The case now being heard will probably clear up the national baseball situation to a marked degree. The claims and counter claims which the two big baseball factions have been making since the birth of the Feds will stand forth as true or untrue as the case may be after the case has been settled and the public at large will finally have an opportunity to learn just what has been going on for the past year.

The consensus of opinion among the managers of major league clubs seems to be that a shorter pre-season schedule is better than the heretofore long list of games played in the south. Manager Stallings of the Braves has arranged a schedule of but ten games for the world champions before starting in upon their first National league contest. There are no hurried jumps in between the games. The Braves will open at Fenway park with the Phillies on April 11, but will play Harvard at the American league grounds two days earlier.

The appointment of John H. Rush to the position of head football coach at Princeton came as a full surprise to the majority of undergraduates as well as graduates of that university. Rush was not thought of as a possibility until a few days before his appointment.

The new head coach has turned out some very good teams at the University school of Cleveland. Barrett, this year's wonderful quarterback of the Cornell team, Hogsett, former captain of the Dartmouth eleven and All-American end, Waterhead of Harvard and Scoville of Yale all played under Rush at the Cleveland school.

## INDIAN PITCHERS

## Majority of Redskins Begin the Game as Twirlers

Thrup and Bluejacket are good, old-fashioned Indian names that are in the highlight of baseball at the present time, the former a star with the Philadelphia Nationals and the latter a recruit with the Brookfields. Both are from Oklahoma and both are Cherokees. There are five other Indians stars in the big leagues at the present time, but none of them with names that smack of the full-blood with a blank. Thrup has a younger brother whom the Muskogee club of the Western association attempted to sign during 1914, together with Jack Buckett, a Cherokee of Grove, Oklahoma. Whitebird and Whiteshield, Cherokees and Hare and Rain-in-the-Face, Cherokees, are also young comers that may have their names on the major score boards in the not far distant future.

In addition to Thrup and Bluejacket the major leagues had Chief Meyers of the Giants, Bender of the Athletics, Thorpe of the Giants, Johnson of the Athletics as Indian players of note during the past season. The Giants have also signed Homer Glass, a full-blood Indian pitcher, for a 1915 tryout. He has just completed an enlistment in the United States navy. This makes a total of seven Indians in the big show next season, and in addition the Indianapolis team of the American association has Catcher John Vann, an Oklahoma Cherokee; the Chattanooga team of the Southern league has Shortstop Mike Batelli, an Oklahoma Cheyenne; the Oakland club of the Pacific Coast league has Harry Sampson, a full-blood, cross-eyed Puro from Nevada; the Sioux City team of the Western league has Harold Clark, a full-blood Pueblo from New Mexico, while Pitcher Charles La Roy, an Indian twirler, is also still in the American association.

Most Indians Pitchers The majority of Indian baseball players are pitchers, and practically all who are playing other positions started as pitchers.

"The Indian makes good as a pitcher because invariably he has a strong arm," was the statement made by Louis Hiltbrunner while on a recent visit in Oklahoma. He was then asked to give up the names of several young Indian twirlers to watch during the coming season.

Thrup, if you remember, was all but signed up with Lowell last season. The Phillies, however, reconsidered at the last moment and decided to keep the redskin with them for the season. EX-Manager Ponder showed rare good judgment in this respect. For Thrup is now rated as one of the most promising young pitchers in the big show.

McMAHON'S PLUMBERS Mulhauser's Plumbers went down to defeat last night by the close margin of two runs at the hands of McMahon's Plumbers when the two teams met with six men on either side in bowling regiments. The scores follow:

MULHAUSER'S PLUMBERS—Monahan, 231; Cassidy, 213; R. H. Jones, 207; Mitchell, 225; Gustafson, 267; total, 1443.

McMAHON'S PLUMBERS—Donahue, 245; Fahy, 249; Judge, 242; W. McManis, 235; McMahon, 236; J. McManis, 237; total, 1446.

WON BY CRESCENTS Last night on their own alleys the Crescents evened up matters by taking the White Ways into camp with a most hundred percent victory. The bowling fans by the score of 1534-1448, in the match between the two teams for the championship of the city and a \$200 purse. The White Ways won the first contest two weeks ago. The third game will now be rolled off on some neutral alley.

Lebrun was the shining light of the match last night. His three strikes totaled 352. Devlin was high man for the White Ways. It was a close struggle all the way, the Crescents managed to pull out every string. The score:

CRESCENTS—Jewett, 302; Concanon, 295; Johnson, 300; Lebrun, 352; Kelley, 302; total, 1551.

WHITE WAYS—Myrick, 300; Hall-Cole, 279; Chaboli, 265; Devlin, 309; Martel, 296; total, 1448.

Marion Chester, Dorothy Ardler, Sadie Gallaghe, Eugene Desmond, Jos. Thayer, Clifford Hastings and Wm. H. Dillmore who is also responsible for some very beautiful stage settings, are the stars of the play of the great wide west, "Sunset Trail."

ACADEMY OF MUSIC "The Jungle," a Paramount photoplay with a strong appeal to everybody with the main feature at the Academy of Music today, Friday and Saturday. This picture embodies all of the fine qualities which have made the Paramount production a success. In addition will be shown today "The Terrors of a Great City," or "A Trail to the Kaiser," a powerful drama. The program also includes several single reel pictures which are very good. Altogether the show at the Academy is one that everybody will appreciate. Every day finds new patrons at the theatre, an evidence that the commendable policy of the new management is being more and more appreciated. The fact that people who have seen the pictures are adding their friends to go to the Academy, and the many words of praise speak well for the house.

THE OWL THEATRE Charlie Chaplin and Mabel Normand are the principal fun-makers in the two-act special Keystone comedy shown at the Owl Theatre. "The Place" is the name of this offering, which is shown besides "The Frozen Safe," the fourth episode in "The Exploits of Elaine." The other two subjects never yet shown in Lowell. A very good show, and you should see the Keystone—it's a scream.

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- Merino Hose—Men's merino hose, black, blue and oxford, 12½¢ value, at ..... 10¢ Pair
- Men's Cashmere Hose—Men's black cashmere hose, second quality, 19¢ value, at ..... 7½¢ Pair
- Colton Hose—Men's heavy black hose, second quality 12½¢ value, at ..... 7½¢ Pair
- Wool Hose—Men's good wool hose, black, natural and camel hair, 19¢ value, at ..... 12½¢ Pair
- Boys' Sweaters—Boys' heavy coat sweaters, 50¢ value, at ..... 35¢ Each
- Boys' Sweaters—Boys' worsted sweaters, gray and dark red, \$1.50 value, at ..... 85¢ Each
- Boys' Sweaters—Boys' heavy Shaker knit coat sweaters, red, blue and oxford, \$2.00 value, at ..... \$1.25
- Men's Sweaters—Men's heavy Shaker coat sweaters, oxford, \$1.00 value, at ..... 50¢ Each
- Men's Sweaters—Men's heavy coat sweaters, red and dark gray, \$1.00 value, at ..... 65¢ Each
- Men's Sweaters—Men's heavy wool Shaker sweaters, \$2.00 value, at ..... \$1.35
- Men's Sweaters—Men's all wool Shaker sweaters, \$4.00 value, at ..... \$2.50
- Men's Negligee Shirts—Shirts made of fine percale, chevrons, in neat patterns, 50¢ value, at ..... 35¢
- Men's Negligee Shirts—About 10 dozen men's negligee shirts, odd lots and sizes, only ..... 25¢ Each
- Working Shirts—30 dozen men's working shirts, Congress make, odd lots; made of flannel, percale and chevrons, 50¢ value, at ..... 29¢ Each
- Working Shirts—Men's working shirts, made of best material, chevrons, sateen, khaki, full assortment of sizes, 50¢ value, at ..... 40¢ Each
- Men's \$5.00 Raincoats, at ..... \$2.50
- Men's \$8.00 to \$12.00 Raincoats, at ..... \$5.00 Each
- Men's \$2.00 and \$2.50 Pants, at ..... \$1.50 Pair
- Men's \$1.00 Khaki Pants, at ..... 69¢ Pair
- Men's 50¢ Jersey Fleece Underwear, at ..... 25¢
- Men's 45¢ Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear, at ..... 25¢ Each
- Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear, single and double breasted, at ..... 40¢ Each
- Men's 75¢ and \$1 Wool Underwear, slightly damaged, at 45¢ Each
- Men's \$1.00 Wool Underwear, first quality, plain knit and Jersey, at ..... 65¢ Each
- Men's \$1.00 Heavy Blue Wool Underwear, at ..... 65¢ Each
- Men's \$1.00 Union Suits, crew, at ..... 65¢ Suit
- Boys' 50¢ Union Suits, at ..... 35¢ Each
- Boys' Fleece Lined Underwear, shirts only, 25¢ value, at ..... 15¢
- Boys' 25¢ Jersey Ribbed Underwear, at ..... 20¢ Each
- Boys' 50¢ Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear, second quality, at 25¢
- Boys' 50¢ Jersey Fleece Lined Underwear, second quality, at 25¢ Each
- Children's 50¢ Umbrellas, at ..... 35¢ Each
- Ladies' and Gents' \$1.00 Umbrellas, at ..... 79¢ Each

## HAT AND CAP SECTION

## ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

- Men's and Boys' 25¢ Caps, at ..... 15¢ Each
- Men's 50¢ and 75¢ Golf Caps, fur lined ear lap, at ..... 39¢ Each
- Boys' 50¢ Caps, felt lined ear lap, at ..... 29¢
- Men's \$1 Full Size Golf Caps, sanitary lined ear lap, at 59¢ Each
- Children's 25¢ Hockey Caps, angora and fine knit, at 17¢ Each
- 50¢ Angora Hockey Caps, red, white, gray and blue, at ..... 33¢
- Men's \$2.00 Fur Caps, at ..... \$1.00 Each
- Men's \$2.00 and \$2.50 Stiff Hats, at ..... \$1.19
- Men's \$1.50 to \$2.00 Stiff Hats, odd lots, at ..... 89¢
- Men's \$2.00 Soft Hats, green, brown and blue, at ..... \$1.19
- Men's \$1.50 Soft Hats, at ..... 89¢ Each
- Men's \$1.00 Soft Hats, odd lots, at ..... 59¢ Each

## BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

## ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

- \$3.00 and \$4.00 Russian and Balmuccian Overcoats, at ..... \$2.25
- \$5.00 and \$6.00 Russian and Balmuccian Overcoats, at ..... \$3.65
- Boys' \$7.00 to \$10 Balmuccian and Russian Overcoats, at \$4.65
- Boys' \$5.00 and \$8.00 School Overcoats, at ..... \$3.85
- Men's and Young Men's \$7.50 to \$12.00 Overcoats, at ..... \$5.00
- Boys' \$8.00 to \$10.00 Balmuccian Overcoats, at ..... \$5.00
- Boys' \$2.00 and \$2.50 Russian and Norfolk Suits, at ..... \$1.65
- Boys' \$4.00 and \$5.00 Norfolk and Russian Suits, at ..... \$2.65
- Boys' \$3.00 and \$6.00 Norfolk Suits, at ..... \$3.85
- Boys' Gray Velvet Russian Suits, at ..... 85¢ Suit
- Boys' 25¢ Bloomer Pants, at ..... 17¢ Pair
- Boys' 50¢ Knickerbocker Pants, size 6 to 11, at ..... 35¢ Pair
- Boys' \$1.00 Knickerbocker Pants, serges and corduroy and all wool cassimeres, at ..... 75¢ Pair
- \$1.00 Flannel Blouses, at ..... 75¢

BASEMENT BASEMENT

## IMPORTANT VALUES ARE NOTICED AT THE BASEMENT SHOE DEPARTMENT

- WOMEN'S SHOES**
- About 135 Pairs of Women's Tan Calf Buttons in a good assortment of sizes and widths. Former price \$2.50 and \$3.00. Sale price, \$1.50
- Women's Felt Shoes with leather soles, some have rubber heels, others have leather heels, all sizes, 4 to 8. Former price \$1.25 and \$1.50. Sale price ..... 85¢
- Growing Girls' Patent Buttons, high cut with low heel, sizes 2½, 3 and 3½ only. Former price \$2.00. Sale price \$1.00
- Women's Warm Slippers, some have leather soles, others have soft elk soles and ribbon trimmed; a good assortment of sizes. Former price \$1.00. Sale price ..... 59¢
- Odd Lot of Women's Shoes, mostly small sizes. Sale price ..... 50¢
- MEN'S SHOES**
- Men's Franklin Shoes in sizes 6, 9½, 10, 11 and 12 only. Goodyear welts. Regular price \$3.00 and \$3.50. Sale price ..... \$1.75
- Men's Franklin Shoes in sizes 6, 9, 10 and 11 only; stitched soles. Regular price \$2.00 and \$2.50. Sale price \$1.49
- Men's Storm Shoes, all samples; size 7 only. Regular price \$5.00 and \$6.00. Sale price, \$2.98
- BOYS' SHOES**
- Boys' Storm Shoes in black or tan with heavy soles and buckles at top— Sizes 1 to 5½. Sale price, \$1.98
- Sizes 9 to 13½. Sale price, \$1.49
- Boys' Skating Shoes with welted soles, in black or tan with ankle strap. Former price \$3. Sale price ..... \$1.98
- Boys' Shoes with heavy soles on a good fitting last; sizes 2½ to 5½. Former price \$1.50. Sale price ..... \$1.25
- Boys' Shoes with heavy soles on a good fitting last; sizes 8 to 13½ and 1 to 2. Former price \$1.23. Sale price 98¢
- CHILDREN'S SHOES**
- Misses' Shoes in button and blucher style— Sizes 11½ to 2. Sale price 98¢
- Size 8½ to 11. Sale price 79¢
- Misses' Walton Shoe in tan vici, lace, a good trade; sizes 9 to 13½ and 1 to 2. Former price \$1.25. Sale price 98¢
- Children's Warm Slippers with leather or felt soles, very comfy; sizes from infants' 5 to misses' 2. Former price 30¢. Sale price ..... 39¢
- Children's Shoes in black and tan vici in button or lace on good fitting last; sizes 4 to 8. Regular price 85¢. Sale price ..... 69¢

## RUBBERS! RUBBERS!

- Men's 4-Buckle Overshoes, dull or bright finish with heavy soles, all sizes this lot. Former prices \$2.50 and \$3.00. Sale price ..... \$1.98
- Men's 1-Buckle Overshoes, dull or bright finish with heavy soles, will wear; all sizes, 6 to 11. Former price \$1.50. Sale price ..... 98¢
- Men's Rubbers to fit all styles toes and heels; all sizes, 6 to 11. Former prices 75¢ and 90¢. Sale price ..... 39¢
- Men's Cloth Rubbers, will keep the feet warm and dry; all sizes. Former price \$1.00. Sale price ..... 79¢
- Boys' Rolled Edge Rubbers— Sizes 2½ to 6. Sale price ..... 58¢
- Sizes 11 to 2. Sale price ..... 49¢
- Women's Warm Lined Rubbers; sizes 3, 3½ and 4 only. Regular price 85¢. Sale price ..... 39¢
- Women's Storm Rubbers with the Hood brand on every pair. Former price 75¢. Sale price ..... 39¢
- Children's Rubbers in storm or low cut; all sizes, 3 to 10½. Regular price 40¢. Sale price ..... 29¢
- Sizes 11 to 2. Sale price ..... 39¢

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SHOE DEPARTMENT

## RING HAS GREAT PROMISE

Looks Good With Another Season in Minor League

Yankees Expected to Send Him Back to Lowell Next Spring



JIMMIE RING

Jimmy Ring is the main asset which the purchaser of the local club will find upon his reserved list of players for next season. Ring is, generally considered to be the best bet of any youngster pitching in the New England league.

Ring lives in New York city and before coming here played with several of the fast amateur and semi-pro teams there. Notice was attracted to his work by his marvelous success with the heavy sluggers of the various clubs in the City's semi-pro league and President Farrell, who has since stepped down from Yankeeism, sent a scout out to look over the youngster.

The scout's report was a very glowing one and Ring was picked up at once by the Yankees. At the beginning of last season, however, the Yankee roster was so large that he couldn't be carried along, and consequently Ring was farmed out to the Lowell club.

We all know what marked success Jimmy manifested in his "spite" for the local club. His first appearance in this league made the sluggers all around the circuit sit up and take notice.

Ring's record for the season, while in point of games won and lost, does not show anything sensational, was very good considering the sort of ball club which was backing him up. Until

## LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK CROSS, FEVERISH

When Constipated or Bilious Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated matter, undigested food and four bile-gentle moves out of its little bowels without crying, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

## B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

One of the snappiest, brightest, most entertaining shows of the whole season is on parade at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. This is the case with large audiences are attending. Tom Linton and his six jungle girls are furnishing one of the sprightliest musical acts in the city.

Jimmy Ring is now under contract to the New York Americans but in all probability "Wild" Bill Donovan will let him out to Lowell again next spring. With another year's experience in minor league pitching Ring ought to be able to take his place in the big show and stay there as a fixture.

## MEHRMACK SQUARE THEATRE

For downright, wholesome, satisfying pleasure, the play which the Mehrmack Square Theatre is giving this week, "Elevating a Husband," is one of the best of its kind which Lowell has ever seen.

Other acts on the bill are: George Stinson, King of Symbionists; Scouting and Price, singers and crayon artists; Dublin-Reddy troupe of cesters; the Macshear and Hearst-Selig motion pictures. Tickets in advance. Phone 25.

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## MANSFIELD DENIES HE EVER PROMISED TO WED

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Henry K. Mansfield, the proprietor of Ferncroft Inn, defendant in the breach of promise suit against him by Elizabeth M. Ryan of New Haven, took the stand in the third session of the superior court yesterday forenoon. He was on the stand all day, questioned by his attorney, M. L. Sullivan.

Before Mansfield was called ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald was permitted to testify. In Tuesday's testimony a witness, James P. Mullen, said that he saw three men kiss Miss Ryan one Sunday afternoon at Ferncroft, and that he, Mullen, also kissed her. He named the ex-mayor as one of those whom he saw kiss the young woman. Yesterday Mansfield insistently denied that either in letters or conversation he ever promised to marry Miss Ryan.

Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald denied that he ever kissed Miss Ryan, said he had never spoken to her, and wouldn't know her if he saw her.

The courtroom was crowded as usual, and when the session opened there was a waiting line of more than 100 in the corridor. This was after the court was filled.

Mr. Fitzgerald was on hand before the court came in. Attorney Sullivan agreed that Attorney Coakley might put him on the stand without delay. Judge Fessenden agreed.

Mr. Fitzgerald Denies Kissing

The ex-mayor was not on the stand more than four minutes. After giving his name to Attorney Coakley and saying he was an ex-mayor of Boston, the witness was questioned as follows:

Q. Were you ever at Ferncroft?

A. Yes.

Q. Accompanied by whom?

A. Always by members of my family.

Q. Were you ever in a room there with a Mr. Hall, a Mr. Seelye and one known as Mullen?

A. No.

Q. Did you ever speak to Bessie Ryan?

A. No. I wouldn't know her if I saw her.

Q. Were you ever in any room with three men when Miss Ryan was there?

A. No.

Q. Did you ever kiss Miss Ryan?

A. No.

Q. Ever see anybody else kiss her?

A. No.

Q. "That's all," said Attorney Coakley. "And the defense has no questions to ask," added Attorney Sullivan.

The ex-mayor immediately left the court room and Mansfield was called to the stand.

Mansfield Takes the Stand

The defendant's testimony was listened to most attentively. He spent the day telling, in answer to his attorney's questions, the story of his relations with Miss Ryan, how he met her the day after the Yale-Harvard football game in 1907, and how he asked her why she didn't leave New York. He testified that he told her he had "a beautiful, large apartment on Beacon street" (corner of Raleigh street), and that "everything would be all right."

Then he told how he kissed Miss Ryan the first night he met her, of her visits to his apartments in Boston, and how she drank much champagne with him.

At the morning session he was asked: "In any of the letters you sent J. F. Donohue, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance, Telephone

to Miss Ryan in New York, was 'marriage' ever referred to?"

"No, sir," was the answer.

At the afternoon session Mansfield insisted that he never heard Miss Ryan say at the Claremont in New York, before others: "He has fixed a date; the long threatening comes at last."

Q. Did you ever say, at the Manhattan hotel, to anybody, "I have been a long time chasing Bess and at last I've got her?"

A. No, sir.

Q. Was there any talk at the Manhattan about "marriage?"

A. Not in any way, shape or manner.

At this session the witness was questioned at length in relation to a trip he made with Miss Ryan in 1908, from New York, to see the army and navy game at West Point.

She Drank With Strangers, He Says

He said that on the way to the football game he purchased some bottles of wine. When they arrived at West Point, the machine was stopped and he left the car about 600 feet from the station to get an automobile shoe at a garage.

"When I came back I saw two young men, about 21 years of age, drinking my wine with Miss Ryan. I overheard her asking the young men to be sure and call on her when they came to New York," he said, "and she gave them her address."

After the game they went to Newburg, about 14 miles from West Point, and on the way Miss Ryan's suitcase was lost from the car.

"Miss Ryan was very much provoked about the loss of the case," said Mansfield, "but I told her that if it had not been for her drinking with the young men, after taking the wine from my car she would not have lost it because I packed the two cases in such a way that they could not fall out of the car."

Gave Her Check for \$100

Q. Was anything said by her as to the contents of the dress-suitcase?

A. Yes. She said the contents were worth about \$100. The green dress that I gave her was in the case and she said I would have to pay for it again.

Q. Did you pay her for the loss of the suitcase?

A. Yes. Two weeks later I gave her a check for \$100 to cover the loss of the suitcase.

In reference to going with Miss Ryan to the Army and Navy football game he told about going out the morning before the game to get a sweater for her.

"Miss Kennedy was with me," he said, "When we got to the store and Miss Kennedy selected the sweater for Miss Ryan I said to her: 'Now will you carry your home?' meaning, in his automobile. Miss Kennedy replied that she had a list of other things that Bess wanted," he continued, "and she showed me a list about as long as a bank check. Among other things I noticed gloves."

"I told her that was all right. I was willing to get the sweater and she might get the gloves but I couldn't afford to buy the whole list."

Q. Were the gloves purchased?

A. They were.

The witness said that Miss Ryan knew nothing about his "around the world" trip.

"I left New York Dec. 12, 1909," he said, "I never talked with or wrote to Miss Ryan about this trip."

Mansfield testified that he sent her some postcards and may have sent some letters. "But no mention of marriage was made by me in any of these letters, and she never made any mention of marriage in her letters to me."

This ended the afternoon testimony.

SUN FEATURES FRIDAY

Helpful Suggestions to be Found In "What the French Maid Said"—Other Features

"The French Maid" tomorrow will give helpful suggestions regarding the selection of prizes for a card party. They may be easily made at home.

Choosing the winners is the "Contest of The Rabbit's Foot" and the "Sneaky Time Tale" will be "The Piggie's Foster Father."

Interesting news of suburban affairs will be printed in The Sun tomorrow.

## 12 TURKISH VESSELS SUNK BY RUSSIANS

PETROGRAD, Jan. 21.—The following communication from the army of the Caucasus has been given out: On Jan. 19 in the region of Halkis, Lvaor and Kyngail we fought a series of combats with the Turkish rear guard, who retreated precipitately. We captured a great many prisoners and a Turkish camp.

On Jan. 18 we occupied Ardanch in Trans-Caucasia, near the Turkish border.

German assaults near Alhert (thrown back).

Three successive charges on La Holselle, on northern front, repelled by allies.

German announce they have captured trenches northwest of Arras and in Arras.

French report further gains toward Metz and recapture of positions lost in Arras.

Alzstein near Cernay in Alsace taken by Germans.

New Russian army in Northern Poland trying to cross Vistula below Germans, who face Warsaw.

Heavy fighting on the roads to Thorn and West Prussia.

Russians maintain foothold on western bank of Bzura river against strong attack.

Austrian assault on Radloff, Western Galicia, beaten off.

Belief in England that airships of Persley type made the raid in Norfolk county.

Archduke Charles Francis, Austrian heir apparent, to visit Emperor William at German headquarters.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrimack street.

DEATHS

GULLINE—Robert N. Gulline, formerly of this city, died Tuesday at his home in Dover, N. H. While in Lowell, deceased was connected with the Merrimack print works.

BLANCHARD—Jean Blanchard, aged 76 years, an esteemed member of St. Joseph's parish, died last evening at his home, 17 Dodge street, after a lingering illness. He leaves besides his wife, three sons, Pierre and Camille of Lowell and Joseph Blanchard, in England; also six daughters, Mrs. Montague (Cawell), Mrs. Agnes Richard, Mrs. Madeline Chaudette and Mrs. Christine Paradis, all of this city; Mrs. Celina Iache and Mrs. Marie Clement, both in Canada.

CHARBONNEAU—Mrs. Josephine (Gallipeau) Charbonneau, aged 54 years, died last evening at her home, 50 Fisher street, after a long illness. Deceased was an interest begins Saturday, Feb. 6, at the Central Savings bank.

BOY SCOUT COUNCIL

The council of the Boy Scouts of this city held an interesting meeting in the rooms of the board of trade last evening.

The position of president, elected last year, however, was not filled and the matter is in the hands of Luther Faulkner.

Those elected were: A. E. Sykes, secretary; William P. White, U. S. N. R. Berg, Parker Dicks and Rev. F. A. MacDonald, court of honor. It was planned to hold a public service for the Scouts at St. Anne's church in the first week of February.

You can get the very best butter at 31c lb., at the Brookside Butter Co., 107 Gorham st.

Y. M. C. A. STAR COURSE

A delightful entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course was given in the First Baptist church last night by the Eastern Girls, a trio of musicians.

The numbers consisted of banjo, mandolin and vocal selections and the program was most pleasing. Those who took part were: Misses Adele Hoag, Hazel Grace Brow and Florence King.

Miner's, Lincoln hall, tonight.

To Have Beautiful Hair--No Dandruff

Use Parisian Sage. It Makes the Hair Soft and Fluffy, Surely Stops Itching Head.

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Wrinkles caused by weather, worry or illness, are best treated by a simple solution of powdered exfoliant. Dissolved in a pint witch hazel. Rubbing the face in this produces a truly marvellous transformation.

## ALLEGED MURDERER CAUGHT AFTER CHASE

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Falling to get from Emmanuel M. Papadakis, proprietor of the Norway cafe, 17 Norway street, Back Bay, money he said was due him, a man, who told the police he was S. Spirodaki, a cook, and lived at 118 Summer street, whipped a revolver from his pocket and the police say shot the restaurant man through the head in the little lunchroom yesterday afternoon.

As the restaurant proprietor fell, clutching a tablecloth, and pulling dishes and silverware to the floor with a crash, a small boy who was passing the cafe and saw the shooting, set up a scream. The assailant fired a second shot, which went wild, dropped his 32-calibre revolver into his pocket and fled from the store.

The screams of the small boy attracted the attention of Alfred Barrett of 44 Falmouth street and Patrick A. O'Reilly of St. Germain street, who started in pursuit of Spirodaki. The latter ran down Norway street, across Falmouth and toward Huntington avenue. Others joined Barrett and O'Reilly in the chase.

Near the corner of Huntington avenue Spirodaki drew his revolver and wheeling, faced his pursuers. The foremost threw their hands over their heads, but did not give up the pursuit. Seeing that the crowd had no intention of letting him get away, the alleged murderer resumed running.

In the meantime, someone had telephoned to the Back Bay police station on Boylston street, and the auto patrol was rushing to the scene at a furious speed. It turned into Huntington avenue right in back of the fugitive. Patrolman Stephen Flaherty leaped from the machine and darted after Spirodaki, literally driving the latter into the arms of Patrolman Arthur Smith, who was doing crossing duty at Cumberland street and Huntington avenue. Spirodaki was booked at station 16 on a charge of murder.

The police ambulance took Papadakis to the City hospital, where he died shortly after arriving, without making any statement. He was unable to speak, so could not identify Spirodaki, who was taken to the bedside by Patrolman Flaherty.

Seemed member of St. Louis' parish and leaves a host of friends who will deeply regret her death. She was a prominent member of St. Anne's parish of St. Louis, parish. She leaves besides her husband, her father, William Galipeau; two sons, Albert and Gerard, and two daughters, Leda and Claire Charbonneau.

GREENE—Mrs. Rose A. Greene died yesterday at her home, 306 Thorndike street, aged 53 years. She leaves one son, John; two daughters, Rosella E. and Annie J.; three nephews, John A. McKenna, James E. and John D. Donnelly. Deceased was a member of St. Peter's church for many years.

FITZPATRICK—Mrs. Mary E. Fitzpatrick died yesterday at her home, 173 Chapel street, aged 56 years. She leaves one son, Hugh J. and a daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Frost.

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FUNERALS

PICKLES—The funeral of Alanson R. Pickles was held yesterday afternoon from his home, 33 Bolt street. The services were conducted by Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the German Street P. M. church. The floral offerings included a pillow inscribed "Husband and Father," family and other tributes from Mr. and Mrs. Walsh and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harrington and family, E. D. MacKinnon, R. Catterwood, Peter Kane, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. England and Mrs. England, employees of Park Worsted mills. Appropriate selections were sung by Mr. Thomas Watson. The bearers were Peter Kane and Harry Raper. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery, where committal services were read by Rev. Mr. Matthews. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George M. Eastman.

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# Germans Driven From Trenches

## AMERICAN SAILORS ARRESTED BY GERMANS

### Detained at Bremen—Washington Awaits News of Seizure of Steamer Greenbrier

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—While the American government today awaited Great Britain's explanation of her seizure of the "American" steamer Greenbrier, it developed that American sailors of her crew, as well as those of the steamer Carolin, had been arrested by German authorities at Bremen.

In a brief despatch informing the state department that the sailors had been released from detention and were now free to join their ships when they left the port, the American consul at Bremen gave the first information that the sailors had been arrested but added no details. Officials here could only suppose that the men might have been arrested for misconduct ashore or possibly detained until the departure of their ships to suppress any military information they might give.

The Greenbrier, whose detention is now the subject of diplomatic negotiations, sailed from New Orleans and Norfolk with cotton for Bremen under a certificate issued by the British consul at Norfolk. Her commander complained that a British cruiser seized his ship on the high seas, hoisted the British ensign, engaged the vessel in navigation and detained him at Kirkwall before he was permitted to proceed.

The Carolin also carried a cotton cargo to Bremen. Apparently she got through without interference and the arrest of her sailors is her first appearance in the international incidents arising out of the transportation of cotton to Germany. She called at Falmouth, however, before proceeding to Bremen.

Secretary Bryan's request for information of the circumstances surrounding the seizure of the Greenbrier has been received at the British embassy here. Advice is expected at the state department after communications between the embassy and the London foreign office.

The detention of the sailors at Bremen is expected to be further explained in later despatches. Whether the state department will investigate the incident probably depends upon the extent of the information it receives from the American consul.

## FEDERAL LEAGUE SUIT LICENSE BOARD CONFERS

### DETAILS OF PEACE NEGOTIATIONS WHICH WERE BROKEN OFF ORDERED TO BE REVEALED

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Details of peace negotiations between the Federal league and the men of organized baseball which were suddenly broken off last fall were ordered to be revealed in the United States district court today when W. H. Addington, general counsel for the Federal league, resumed his argument in support of the Federalists' claim that organized baseball is operating in violation of the anti-trust laws.

Mr. Addington, it was expected, will present the affidavit of James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal league, in regard to the peace negotiations. In his sworn statement, President Gilmore said he operated Charles H. Weighman, president of the Chicago Federals and President Robertson of the Buffalo Federals that when they went to confer with August Herrmann, chairman of the national baseball commission last fall they must name at least four conditions for peace.

First, the affidavit sets forth, was the recognition of the federal organization as a major league; second, representation by the Federals in the national commission; third, protection to every player and umpire that had gone to the Federals from organized ball, and fourth, participation of the Federals in the series for the world's baseball championship.

In attempting to arrange peace, the affidavit says, the Federal league at no time considered joining forces with organized baseball and operating under the so-called national agreement unless it could be modified to become legal.

The peace negotiations of the Federals it was said will be one of the chief points of defense for organized ball as its attorneys will contend. It is understood that the admission of the Federals that they sought recognition from the national commission will refute the charge that organized ball is operating in restraint of trade.

After Mr. Addington finished his opening argument, George Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia, chief of counsel for organized ball, will present the argument for the defense.

Indications were today that it would require many days, possibly more than a week to complete the trial.

## TO DISREGARD WARNING RUSH THE RELIEF WORK

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The war risk bureau has thoroughly investigated the question.

The Dacia is now loading cotton in Texas for German ports.

The proposed voyage will be undertaken despite the warning of the British government that it would seize the vessel. The state department has notified the owners of the Dacia of the British government's decision and has left to them the responsibility of making the voyage. Convinced of the genuineness of the Dacia's purchase, department officials reiterate their belief that the vessel will have a good case before a prize court.

## MRS. CHAGNON INJURED

### FELL TO FLOOR AND SUSTAINED FRACTURE OF THE THIGH

Mrs. Adele Chagnon, who is making her home with her son, Alexandre Chagnon, at 44 Branch street, suffered a bad accident last night, when she fell to the floor and sustained a fracture of the left thigh. On account of the woman's advanced age, 57 years, it is feared the injuries will prove fatal.

Mrs. Chagnon, who despite the fact that she is blind was able to go about the house, slipped on the kitchen floor and fell, striking on her thigh with force. Dr. Halloran was summoned and after an examination found that the left thigh was fractured. He entertained very little hope for her recovery.

## PERSONALS

Michael J. Keefe of the street department, who has been laid up for the past six weeks, is now on the road to recovery and will resume his duties in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Marren, of Concord street, were this morning presented with a 12 pound baby girl. Mr. Marren is the well known insurance agent for the John Hancock Life Insurance company. Both mother and child are resting comfortably.

## FIERCE FIGHTING ALONG FRANCO-BELGIAN FRONT

### Town on Turkish Border Captured by Russians — Austrians Bombarded the Montenegrin Positions—French Trenches 16 Miles From Rhine

A series of battles is in progress along the Franco-Belgian battlefield but only comparatively small numbers of troops are engaged and no general movements are apparent. Calm prevails in the Soissons region, the Germans thus far having made no attempt to extend their victory there.

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## BERLIN REPORTS FRENCH ATTACKS NORTH OF ARRAS REPULSED

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—The following official statement was issued at the war office today:

"In the western theatre of war only artillery duels took place yesterday between the coast and the Lys. Trenches at Notre Dame de Lorette, which were occupied on the day before yesterday, were lost again today.

"North-east of Arras the French repeatedly attacked 'both sides' of the high road from Arras to Lille but were repulsed. Southwest of Berry au Bac we took two trenches from the French and kept them notwithstanding their fierce counter attacks.

"French attacks on our positions south of St. Mihiel were repulsed. Northwest of Pont-a-Mousson we succeeded in recapturing the positions we evacuated three days ago. In that vicinity our troops captured four cannon and several prisoners. Fighting still continues for the remainder of the lost trenches.

"In the Vosges northwest of Senheim battles still proceed.

"The situation in East Prussia remains the same. An unimportant engagement to the east of Lipno ended favorably for us. One hundred prisoners remained in our hands."

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## RUSSIAN THREE-FOLD ASSAULT ON GERMANS SUCCESSFUL IN NORTH AND SOUTH

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Russian three-fold assault on the German allies in the opinion of British observers of the war has shown its steamroller characteristics alike in the north and the south.

In the north the advance in East Prussia is reported as threatening the German lines of communication and in Poland the trench warfare continues with small results for either side but the Russians confidently dwell on what they call large German losses in efforts to hold present positions. In the south, the Russians declare, the Austrian resistance seems to have been broken down entirely and that Transylvania lies open to them.

## ITALYANS TO PROTECT INTERESTS

Reports of Rumania's long-awaited entrance into the fight continue to circulate; one rumor today has it, however, that Rumania will not immediately declare war but that she will throw troops into Transylvania, which is Hungarian territory, for the purpose of protecting Rumanian nationals.

In the meanwhile German official utterances continue optimistic. The communications given out every day say that the situation in the eastern theatre of the war remains unchanged. Certain semi-official summaries of events received in London by wireless telegrams are somewhat more communicative. Such a message received recently says the Russians have had some successes in which their losses were heavy and that the Turks have been operating successfully in the Caucasus and now are marching on Egypt.

## Campaign Against Russia

Telegrams reaching here from Berlin.

## POLICE COURT SESSION HELD AT TEWKSBURY

### Judge Enright Dealt With Many Absconders From Almshouse—Sentences in Local Court

Judge Enright, accompanied by Clerk Savage, took a trip to the state infirmary this afternoon in his judicial capacity and held court at that institution where over fifty alleged absconders were being held.

Rather than transport the fifty defendants to Lowell, Judge Enright decided to travel out to Tewksbury and hold a special session there. All of the absconders who pleaded guilty were sent to the state farm at Bridgewater while those who denied the charge were held over for a hearing in the local court room.

This is not, as many supposed, the first time that a local judge held court at Tewksbury. Judge Hendley went there on several occasions but never had to deal with such a large number of offenders as in this case.

## The Local Session

Albert J. Moge was charged this morning with making a felonious attack upon 14-year-old Marie Josephine Angela Breault. His case was continued until Jan. 25, while his bail was fixed at \$200.

Two women were haled into court today on charges against their respective moral characters. One of the accused appeared on the warrant as "Black Diamond," real name of the defendant unknown. "Black Diamond" was very profuse in her protestations to the interpreter and talked continually while the police machine was grinding out its grim evidence.

Officers Clark, Hamilton, Gilmore, Cullen and Noonan were the witnesses finally convinced Judge Enright that the complaint had been substantiated. "Black Diamond" was found guilty and ordered to the house of correction for the next six months.

Catherine A. Connors was the other girl. Officers Clark, Hamilton, Captain Atkinson and Cullen were the witnesses for the prosecution, while J. J. O'Connor defended the girl.

Officer Clark was on the stand for nearly an hour. His testimony related to the dates, circumstances, etc., surrounding his observations of the defendant. He was cross examined at great length by Mr. O'Connor. The other officers corroborated most of the testimony given by Officer Clark.

Alfred Baum, the young man, from Kansas who was arrested some time ago for passing worthless checks in the D. L. Fasse, company's restaurant, came up for trial this morning before Judge Enright in the local police court and no defence was put in by his attorney, Warren W. Fox.

Baum was charged with larceny in two counts, a check for \$5 and another for \$10 proving worthless. Judge Enright found him guilty on both counts and sentenced him to the house of correction for three months.

## Perry Court Party

The Perry court party, which was interrupted last night by the unavailability of a number of police officers, was settled in morning court today. James L. Wentworth, Robert Willis, Albert H. Richardson and Mary Wood all pleaded guilty to drunkenness.

Richardson was charged with assault upon Jennie Wood, mother of Mary and her husband were also accused of living together as man and wife. Both of them pleaded not guilty to these complaints.

The officers related to the court the existing conditions in the Wood household where Richardson has made his headquarters for some time and the mother of the Wood girl presented her countenance as evidence in the assault case. It was quite evident that something solid had come in contact with her cheek.

The pair said they had previously lived in Philadelphia as man and wife and that they also had told Officers Dwyer, Kilroy and Doyle that they were married. The evidence in this case occupied some time.

The court finally found both man and woman guilty and imposed a sentence of six months upon each. Richardson was ordered to the house of correction while the woman was turned over to Sheriff Eveleth. Both defendants entered an appeal.

Wentworth and Willis were first offenders and Judge Enright placed both cases on file with an admonition to stay within the law in the future.

## TO HELP UNEMPLOYED

### Pres. Guggenheim Says Workers Should Receive Part of Profits of Their Employers

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Daniel Guggenheim, president of the American Smelting and Refining Co., was the first to be questioned today by the federal commission on industrial relations which is seeking a solution of the unemployment question. Mr. Guggenheim named many corporations in which he and his brothers are directors. The witness did not know how many men are employed by any of the companies with which he is connected. He kept himself advised as to labor conditions among his employees, he said, and for that purpose frequently visited the various plants.

## Improve Labor Conditions

The witness said the American Smelting and Refining Co. had installed many devices not only to improve labor conditions but to raise the standard of efficiency. Mr. Guggenheim discussed at length the various ways in which the company had tried to better working conditions.

Mr. Guggenheim declared that industrial discontent was on the increase and had been for some years and it will continue to increase unless some radical measures are taken," he continued. "The trouble is we haven't had enough legislation. We are away behind Europe. We need more business legislation."

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., Present

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., sitting in the audience, across an aisle from Mother Jones, followed Mr. Guggenheim's testimony closely.

Mr. Guggenheim said he "did not want to advertise" the philanthropic organizations with which he was connected.

"I don't want to tell what I've done," he said. "I've done all that I can. I don't think any of us give enough. I'll tell you though that I am interested in many hospitals, homes and aid societies."

It is the duty for the state and national governments to find work for the unemployed and provide free at-

## FIRE ON FULTON STREET

A small fire at 31 Fulton street, called the alarm out when box 42 sounded this morning shortly before nine o'clock. The kitchen of the house caught fire from some unknown cause and considerable damage was done before the flames were extinguished.

The firemen succeeded in keeping the blaze within the confines of the kitchen and after a few minutes of strenuous work had it under control.

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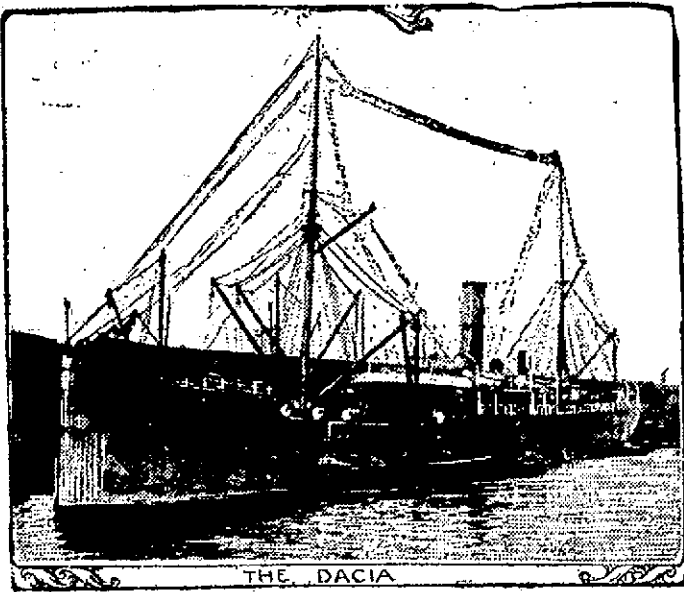
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## CASE OF DACIA HAS BEARING ON AMERICAN SHIPS ACQUIRED SINCE WAR



THE DACIA

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Notice of Great Britain's refusal to grant a request of the United States government that the former German steamship Dacia be permitted to carry a cargo of cotton for Germany to Rotterdam without molestation was received at the state department. At the same time dispatches from Galveston said that the Dacia had nearly finished taking on her cargo of cotton and was preparing to sail for Rotterdam. The British government declares it could not consent to waive any of its rights in the case of the Dacia and assigned as one of the reasons for its position the fact that such action might constitute a precedent which would be invoked to the prejudice of the British position in regard to enemy ships transferred to neutral registry during the war. Notice of England's reply was sent by the department to Edward N. Britting, the purchaser of the Dacia, who is in New York. Contracts have been made for the Dacia to deliver her cotton cargo at Bremen, and the ship was to have sailed from Galveston not later than Jan. 8. She

was detained, however, pending receipt of the British answer to the state department's request that she be permitted to make the one voyage to Rotterdam without prejudice to the case of either country should her status ever be contested. It is said that the freight charges on the Dacia's present cargo amount to nearly as much as was paid for the vessel when she was purchased from the Hamburg-American line. The cotton on board of her would not be treated as contraband if the British should seize her, as is expected. Thus neither the owner of the vessel nor the cotton shippers apparently stand to lose any more by venturing the trip than by defaulting on existing contracts. Should it be decided to send the Dacia to sea the case will be watched here with the keenest interest and a decision in the case will probably be of great significance with regard to the proposal of the administration to buy German and Austrian ships now confined to American ports and operate them as a government-owned steamship line.

## KILLED BROTHER

Dorchester Boy Slain in Row Over Spot on Tablecloth

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Just because of a spot on the table cloth, William Paul Murphy, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Murphy of 6 Grant St., Dorchester, lies dead and his younger brother, John H. Murphy, Jr., not yet 14 years old, is held by the Dorchester police accused of causing the death.

William was stabbed to the heart by a jackknife in the hand of John in a scuffle between the boys during the family dinner at 630 last evening and in a very few minutes was dead. John and his parents declare that the stroke was accidental.

The brothers were two of a family of eight children. Six of them with their mother—the father not having yet come home—were seated at the dining table about 6.30 last evening. One dish was hamburger steak, and John, the last to reach the table, reached across for the platter.

As he pulled the platter toward him, he spilled some of the gravy on the white cloth. The older brother, according to the mother's statement, was irritated at this. "Now, mother," he complained, "looked what John has done. He has spilled gravy all over your nice clean cloth."

John then bristled up and reminded his brother that spot or no spot, it was none of his business, and William, strong in the authority of his seniority, told him that he would make it his business, and would "show him." John invited him to come and try it.

The boys had been sitting on opposite sides of the table. William rose and went around to John, who had also risen, and the two boys grappled. In spite of the fact that William was a head the taller, he found the younger brother able to give him a hard battle, and the boys, tightly locked, swung back and forth, always edging toward the door into the entry. The mother, although supposing they were only fooling, began them repeatedly to stop it and sit down.

Still struggling and scuffling, the boys passed out of sight around the partly opened door, which led into the dark entry hall. What happened thereafter is known only from John's excited story, as told first to his parents and afterward to the police.

He had had the worse of the fight and was tired of it. From his pocket he drew a jackknife and opened it. "If you come near me," he warned his brother, "you'll get it!"

It is probable that in the darkness

William did not see the knife, and thought his brother was only pretending. In any case, he disregarded the warning and lunged forward, driving his body against the open blade, which entered his left breast above the heart.

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GENERAL MANAGER OF HARTFORD PLANT ASSISTS ASSESSORS IN ARRIVING AT PROPER VALUATION

The valuation of the property of the Hartford Carpet corporation, now a part of the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet company, is placed by the Hartford tax assessors this year at \$2,753,397. This is somewhat larger than the company's assessment last year, when the property was valued at \$2,557,650. It is understood that General Manager Alvin D. Higgins, of the Hartford Carpet corporation, assisted the assessors in arriving at a proper valuation for the plant. During the week Mr. Higgins attended a session of the board, and after learning that it had made a general increase on the other property in town of about 6 1/2 per cent, without further comment authorized an addition of that amount to the list of the corporation, which meant an increase of more than \$160,000 to the corporation's list. While some corporations have argued for a reduction in taxes during the last year, the action of Mr. Higgins in voluntarily adding such a large sum to the list of the corporation is notable.

LARGE FORCED LOANS

SECURED FROM AMERICANS IN VERA CRUZ BY ZAPATA-OTHER MEXICAN NEWS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Carranza agency here issued the following today:

Vera Cruz says that reports from Mexico City state that before leaving there Emiliano Zapata secured large forced loans from American merchants and private citizens. From El Paso it is reported that Generals Flores and Mestas, commanding 4,000 men, have invaded Sonora and are in the vicinity of Navajo in the southeastern part of the state. General Louis Ferrera and Juan Carnasco have invaded territory around Tepic with 3,000 men.

AN ANNEXATION MEETING

LARGE ATTENDANCE EXPECTED AT MEETING IN McMANIS'S WORKSHOP TONIGHT

As previously announced in The Sun a meeting of the members of the District Nine Improvement association and all residents of Elmore, Kennecott, Brookside and Belle Grove will be held this evening in the workshop of James J. McManis, and it is hoped all parties interested in the annexation movement will make it their duty to be present, for matters of vital importance to all residents of the district will be brought up for discussion.

The committee appointed to outline the proposed district to be annexed will be present and submit a report of its work, while it is expected several residents of the Navy Yard district, who are taking particular interest in the annexation movement will also be in attendance. The meeting will be opened at 7.30 sharp, and seating accommodations will be provided for all who will be present. The members of the association hope all the men folks of the district will make it their business to be present at the meeting, whether in favor or opposed to the movement.

## SPECIAL

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY

Any Cuts Out of Domestic  
Pigs, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
Pork Loin, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
Pork Shoulders, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
Whole Loin Pork, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
Leaf Lard, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
Smoked Shoulders, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
Sweet Pickled Shoulders, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
In fact everything out of Pig 12 1/2 c lb. except Smoked Hams.

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Tangerines, doz. .... 10c  
Oranges, doz. .... 10c, 15c, 20c  
Lemons, doz. .... 8c  
Malaga Grapes, lb. .... 10c  
Grapefruit, 3 for 5c  
Bananas, doz. .... 12c

# SUGAR 5 Pounds to a Customer 5c LB.

## Vegetables

Potatoes, pk. .... 12 1/2 c  
15c Peck Delivered  
\$1.15 Bag Delivered  
California Celery .... 12c  
New Cabbage, lb. .... 1 1/2 c  
Red Cabbage, lb. .... 2c  
Carrots .... 3 for 5c  
Parsnips .... 3 lbs. 10c  
Kale, pk. .... 12c  
Spinach, pk. .... 15c  
Onions, pk. .... 20c  
Red Onions .... 2 lbs. for 5c  
Spanish Onions, lb. .... 5c  
Onions, 2-Bushel Bag .... \$1.75  
White Turnips .... 3 lbs. for 5c  
Yellow Turnips, lb. .... 1c  
Turnips, 2-Bushel Bag .... \$1.00  
Apples, pk. .... 15c  
Beets .... 3 lbs. for 5c  
Fancy Lettuce .... 5c  
Squash, lb. .... 1 1/2 c  
Radishes .... 3 for 10c  
Jumbo Cranberries .... 4c qt., 3 qts. 10c

Saur Kraut, lb. .... 5c  
Whole Pickles, qt. .... 10c  
Queen Olives, pints. .... 15c

## MEATS

Fores Lamb, lb. .... 12c  
Fores Yearlings, lb. .... 10c  
Legs Lamb, lb. .... 15c up  
Lamb Chops, lb. .... 15c up  
Whole Sirloin Roast, tip end, lb. .... 14c  
Roast Beef, 4-rib cut, lb. .... 14c  
Chuck Roast Beef, lb. .... 10c up  
Prime Roast Beef, lb. .... 18c  
All Round Steak, lb. .... 18c  
Top Round Steak, lb. .... 20c  
Best Sirloin Steak, lb. .... 25c  
Sirloin Steak, lb. .... 20c  
Best Rump Steak, lb. .... 25c  
Porterhouse Steak, lb. .... 30c  
Pig Ham, lb. .... 14c  
Smoked Shoulders, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
Sweet Pickled Shoulders, lb. .... 12 1/2 c  
Fresh and Pickled Beef Tongue, always in stock, lb. 14c  
Whole Smoked Hams, lb. .... 15c up  
Sweet Pickled Hams, lb. .... 13c  
Fancy Corned Beef, lb. .... 10c up  
Fancy Spare Ribs, lb. .... 10c  
Pickled Pigs' Feet, lb. .... 8c  
Salt Pork, lb. .... 13c  
Fresh Pigs' Feet .... 6c  
Fresh Sheep Pluck, lb. .... 6c  
Fresh Pork and Calf Livers always in stock, lb. .... 6c

## Fish Prices Are Lowered

Fresh Salmon - 12c lb.  
Fresh Halibut, 12 1/2 c lb.  
Sword Fish - 12 1/2 c lb.

Cod, lb. .... 6c  
Large Mackerel .... 10c  
Extra Large Mackerel .... 20c, 25c  
Haddock, lb. .... 6c  
Fresh Herring lb. .... 6c  
Salt Herring .... 4c, 3 for 10c  
Steak Cod, lb. .... 10c  
Fish Trimmings for Chowder, lb. .... 5c  
Butterfish, lb. .... 8c  
Pollock, lb. .... 5c  
Finnan Haddie, lb. .... 8c  
Oysters, qt. .... 35c  
Clams, qt. .... 25c  
Salt Fish, 1 lb. pkg. .... 7c  
Shredded Fish, pkg. .... 5c  
Best Fish Cakes, 1 lb. pkg. .... 14c

Mustard, glass .... 5c  
Shawmut Jam, Special, 9c; 3 for 25c  
Colombia Beans .... 5c  
Red Letter Soup .... 5c  
Pinnacle Chow-Chow, 9c; 3 for 25c  
Red Beans, qt. .... 8c  
Pure Fruit Jelly .... 12c  
Strawberries .... 5c

## New Fresh Creamery Butter

Hood's Creamery Butter .... 35c lb.  
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Plumley's Fancy Prints and Creamery Butter .... 32c lb.  
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Clothes Pins, 3 doz. .... 5c  
Pure Cider Vinegar, large bottle .... 8c  
Plymouth Rock Coffee Gelatine .... 9c  
Fancy Boneless Pigs Feet, jar .... 9c  
Heinz Apple Butter .... 9c, 3 for 25c  
New Fresh Prunes .... 7c lb., 4 lbs. 25c  
Armour's Chicken Tamale, can .... 5c  
Sunkist Asparagus Tips .... 20c  
Cameo Washing Compound, cake .... 7c  
Hardwood Toothpicks .... 2 for 5c  
Pickled Beets, bottle .... 6c  
Pickled Red Cabbage, bottle .... 6c  
Royal Dutch Mustard .... 9c  
Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, lb. .... 15c  
Sunkist Seeded Raisins .... 9c  
Hecker's Cream Hominy .... 9c  
The Famous Berwick Cake is now in.  
Plain, Cherry, Fruit, Raisin, Walnut, Citron and Oriental, all fresh, pound .... 16c and 18c  
Sunshine Mixed Cookies, 9c lb, 3 for 25c  
Takhomas .... 4c pkg., 45c doz.  
Old Fashioned Chocolates, lb. .... 17c  
Martinique Chocolate Cherries, 1 lb. boxes. Special price .... 33c  
New Dates .... 9c pkg., 3 for 25c  
Remmer's Bath Tablets, cake .... 8c

Fine Ceylon Tea, lb. .... 25c  
Good Oolong Tea, lb. .... 25c  
English Breakfast Tea, lb. .... 25c  
Saunders' Best (a 30c Coffee), lb. .... 25c  
Best Santos Coffee, lb. .... 20c  
Quality Cocoa, pure .... lb 23c, 1-2 lb. 12c, 1-4 lb. 6c  
Postum Cereal, 25c pkg. .... 21c  
Campbell's Soups, Tomato, Vegetable and Chicken .... 7 1-2c  
Pink Salmon, can .... 8c  
Compound Lard, lb. .... 11c  
Fine Quality Butterline, lb. .... 15c  
Saunders' Gelatine .... 5c  
Snider's Ketchup, pints. .... 16c  
Blue Label Ketchup .... 20c  
Full Cream Cheese, lb. .... 19c  
Roquefort Cheese, lb. .... 40c  
Sunshine Butterline, lb. .... 12 1-2c  
Sunshine Coconut Crisps, lb. .... 12 1-2c  
Sunshine Fancy Mixed Cakes .... 9c lb, 3 lbs. for 25c  
Chocolate Hydrox, lb. .... 34c  
Imported Smyrna Puffed Figs, lb. .... 18c  
Heckman's Dutch Cookies, 10c pkgs. .... 5c  
Shredded Wheat .... 11c

## PURE LARD

3's, 5's, 10's, 20's, lb. .... 13c  
50's, lb. .... 12 1/2 c

## COMPOUND LARD

3's, 5's, 10's, 20's, lb. .... 10c  
50's, lb. .... 8 1/2 c

Heinz Mince Meat, large jar .... 45c  
New Pack Seed Raisins, pkg. .... 9c  
None Such Mince Meat, pkg. .... 8c  
Sunbeam Mince Meat, pkg. .... 6c  
Snider's Pork and Beans, can .... 11c  
Campbell's Pork and Beans 9c, 3 for 25c  
Heinz Italian Spaghetti .... 13c  
Compound Extract Raspberry, bot. .... 5c  
Compound Extract Strawberry, bot. .... 5c  
Heinz Preserves, all flavors .... 22c  
Sydmore Toilet Soap .... 7 for 25c  
Milady Toilet Soap .... 7 for 25c  
Swift's Pride Soap .... 9 for 25c  
Fruit-o-Jell, pkg. .... 5c  
Dillon Corn Syrup, bot. .... 7c  
Pure Castor Oil .... 2 bottles for 5c  
Pickled Red Cabbage, bot. .... 5c  
Export Borax Soap .... 7 for 25c  
Snap Soap .... 14 for 25c  
Bon Ami .... 8c

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Cotton, bbl .... \$7.00  
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Bag .... 90c  
Best Pastry Flour, bag .... 80c

## SALEM OFFICIAL ENDS LIFE

THOMAS J. LALLY, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH, A SUICIDE—INVESTIGATION

LYNN, Jan. 21.—Thomas J. Lally, Director of public health at Salem, committed suicide at a hotel here today. A local committee had just begun an investigation of Lally's administration of the health department.

Just before ending his life Lally paid several bills and his life insurance premium and purchased a revolver. His last official act was to appoint a health board of three members in succession to a board which he had removed from office ten days ago. Lally had been prominent in Salem politics and was elected director of public health in December, 1913, beginning a three years' term the following month. He leaves a wife, two daughters and two sons.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

## J. F. FITZGERALD ACCEPTS

EX-MAYOR OF BOSTON TO BECOME PRESIDENT OF NEW ENGLAND SECURITIES COMPANY

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald last evening announced his intention of retiring from the clothing business in order to accept the presidency of the New England Securities company, an organization

formed with the idea of promoting the industrial and commercial development of New England, a subject which has long been dear to the heart of the former mayor. Mr. Fitzgerald explained last evening that his decision to retire from the clothing business had to be made at very short notice, as he was given only 18 hours in which to accept the new position. He has transferred his stock in the clothing business to the Kennedy company.

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MANAGER OF COLUMBUS TEAM COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 21.—Rudolph Hullswitt, manager of the Jersey City club of the International league, today was named manager of the Columbus team of the American association.

ANNIVERSARY OF PEACE WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—A gold medal commemorating the anniversary of peace between Great Britain and the United States was presented to President Wilson today by Assistant Secretary Peters of the treasury department on behalf of the Louisiana Historical Association.



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## VOTING FRAUD CHARGES

GOVERNMENTAL INVESTIGATION  
IS PROMISED IN VERMONT—WILL  
NOT AFFECT GOVERNOR



GOV. CHARLES W. GATES

MONTPELIER, Vt., Jan. 21.—Charles W. Gates is the new republican governor of this state. Vermont, one of the six little states in the Union, continues in the republican column again, Gates having succeeded Gov. Fletcher, republican. On top of the republican victory there comes charges of illegal voting and governmental investigation is promised. Frauds in Illinois resulted in wholesale arrests, and similar results may ensue in Vermont. If the charges develop as promised, it is not claimed that the alleged illegal voting will affect Gov. Gates. His victory was clean cut.

## THE CAUSE OF ACCIDENTS

INDUSTRIAL BOARD SAYS MAJORITY OF ACCIDENTS IS THE FAULT OF EMPLOYEES

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 21.—A large majority of accidents to employees in the state of Massachusetts are due to the failure of employers to install safety devices and take a greater interest in safety work, according to the report filed with the legislature yesterday by the industrial accident board. There was an increase in the percentage of non-fatal injuries of nearly 7 per cent, and an increase in the percentage of fatal injuries of 26 per cent, during the past year. In the textile industries, 14,628 non-fatal injuries were reported, and 56 fatal injuries, and statistics compiled by the industrial accident board show that the textile industry is the second dangerous in the state, surpassed only in point of danger to the workers by the iron and steel industry. The annual payroll for manufacturing establishments of the state is given as \$450,000,000 and the cost of employees' insurance, based on that payroll averages 1 per cent. The value of the manufactured products of these establishments is \$1,598,728,363, and the

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When you first catch a cold (often indicated by a sneeze or cough), break it up at once. The idea that "it doesn't matter" often leads to serious complications. The remedy which immediately and easily penetrates the lining of the throat is the kind demanded. Dr. King's New Discovery soothes the irritation, loosens the phlegm. You feel better at once. It seemed to reach the very spot of my Cough" is one of many honest testimonials. 50c at your druggist.

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At these critical times women are best fortified by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, an old remedy of proved worth that keeps the entire female system perfectly regulated and in excellent condition.

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amount of wages paid is \$351,239,706. Insurance companies have paid out in benefits to injured employees since the workmen's compensation act became effective the sum of \$3,376,902 of which \$1,577,380 was paid during the first year and the balance, \$2,299,522 was paid during the past year.

"During the year, there were 95,563 non-fatal and 608 fatal injuries," the report says, "as against \$9,594 non-fatal and 474 fatal cases during the preceding year. The sex distribution of the injuries shows that 47,876 men and 5887 women were hurt and 892 men and six women killed. The increase in the percentage of accidents to the number of employees is alarmingly high and is undoubtedly due to the failure of employers to take greater interest in the safety work which the industrial accident board is fostering.

A greater percentage of employees are covered by insurance than formerly, 87 per cent. of those filing reports of non-fatal injuries with the board stating that they were insured. More than 60,000 municipal and state employees have been covered under the statute during the past year. About 300,000 employees are now insured in Massachusetts.

The aggregate number of days lost as a result of industrial accidents during the past year was 1,197,737. This sum, added to the days lost during the first year of the law, makes a total of 2,254,524 days, or about 7550 working years, as a result of industrial injuries in Massachusetts since the act went into effect. Taking the days lost as a basis, an average of 3982 employees were constantly disabled "four" full year. The wage loss as a result of this disablement last year was \$3,172,440, an increase of \$207,215 over the past year, or an additional loss of \$700 daily.

The report shows that nearly all the employees injured were those receiving very small wages. Not a single fatal injury of an employee earning \$25 a week or more has been reported in Massachusetts.

## NOW IN SUN BUILDING

HAROLD A. VARNUM AND RICHARD BRADBROOK WALSH OPEN NEW LAW OFFICES

Friends of Messrs. Richard Bradbrook Walsh and Harold A. Varnum will be interested in their announcement that they have opened law offices together at rooms 410-412 Sun building.

Mr. Walsh is the son of Alonzo G. Walsh, well known in financial circles and state politics. During the past four years Mr. Walsh, Jr., has been associated in law practice with Messrs. Fred L. Norton and George M. Brown of Boston with offices in the Tremont building.

Mr. Varnum is the son of the late Atkinson C. Varnum, whom the older generation will remember as an attorney for many years associated with the law office of Daniel S. and George H. Richardson. Harold A. Varnum, since his admission to the bar in 1906, has had offices with Messrs. Trull & Wier in North street.

Both these men are graduates of the Lowell high school, class of 1892. Mr. Walsh is a graduate of Harvard college and Harvard law school, and Mr. Varnum of Amherst college and Harvard law school. Their new offices in the Sun building are located on the fourth floor and are finely appointed.

## ST. COLUMBA'S REUNION

General Committee Held Enthusiastic Meeting—Farmers' Ball Will Be Feature

The general committee in charge of St. Columba's parish reunion which will be held in Associate hall, on Feb. 3, held a very enthusiastic meeting in the parish hall last evening and discussed plans to make this year's event even a greater success than last year's affair.

It was decided to hold a farmers' ball in connection with the reunion, and this feature will be in charge of the entertainment committee, Joseph L. Cunningham, chairman. Mr. Cunningham has had considerable experience in the management of successful events and is surrounded by a number of capable assistants who are working zealously on the arrangements. Indications point to a highly enjoyable entertainment.

Tonight a whist party will be held in the parish hall.

On Saturday afternoon and evening the reunion committee will hold a bean supper in G. A. R. hall and Mrs. Monahan, who is in charge, has made arrangements to serve a large crowd.

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OUR SEMI-ANNUAL

# Twenty-Five Cent Sale

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It's a positive fact that the values we offer in our 25c Sales are the best ever offered in Lowell. During this sale we are going to beat all previous records. We take stock February 1st, and will sacrifice profits on all lots we do not intend carrying over. Every article or group of articles is 25c—nothing higher.

Every department is represented in this 25 Cent Sale. Cost price is lost sight of; so that no matter what you need you are almost certain of securing it here tomorrow for a QUARTER. The greatest price-slashing in Lowell FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY. Profits thrown to the wind.

Ruinous prices will prevail. The values run from 39c up as high as a dollar. This naturally means that some items will go with a rush and may not last throughout the day—so that the early comers will be sure of biggest values. Other values will be added from time to time, so as to keep the bargain interest up to the highest pitch up to Monday night.

DOORS OPEN AT 9 A. M.

## 25c SALE OF SHIRT WAISTS

Lingerie and Semi-Tailored Waists, counter mused, broken lots and sizes. Made of voile and soisette, in long and short sleeves, high and low necks; very good values. Specials for this sale. Worth \$1.00. Sale price.....25c

## 25c SALE OF HOUSE DRESSES

Women's One-piece Percale House Dresses. Regular price 89c. Sale price 25c Each

## 25c SALE, INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 2 to 5 years. Regular price 49c. Sale price 25c  
Infants' Flannelette Slips. Regular price 39c. Sale price 25c  
Infants' Flannelette Petticoats. Regular price 39c. Sale price 25c  
Infants' Wool Bands. Regular price 25c each. Sale price 2 for 25c

## 25c SALE OF COTTON WASH GOODS

7c Prints, light or dark. Sale price 5 Yards for 25c  
15c Poplins, all colors. Sale price 2 Yards for 25c  
10c Yard Wide Percales, all colors. Sale price 3 1/4 Yards for 25c  
8c Outing Flannel. Sale price 4 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE IN LINEN DEPT.

(Main Floor)

25 dozen Scarfs and Squares; size of Scarfs 18x54; Squares 30x30; trimmed with torchon lace. Regular prices 75c and \$1.00. Sale price 25c Each  
25c Linen Tray Cloths. Sale price 3 for 25c

\$1.25 Japanese Drawn Work Lunch Cloths, size 45x45. No telephone orders. Sale price 25c Each

49c Bleached Sheets, size 72x90. Sale price 25c  
12 1/2c Bleached Pillow Cases, size 42x36. Sale price 3 for 25c

10c English Long Cloth, 36 in. wide. Sale price 4 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE OF NOTIONS

Clark's Mill End and J. P. Coats' Spool Cotton, all colors. Regular price 6c each. 6 Spools for 25c

John J. Clark's Spool Cotton. Regular price 4c. Sale price 13 Spools 25c

Hooks and Eyes. Regular price 5c card. Sale price 13 Cards for 25c

Spring Fasteners, all sizes. Regular price 10c. Sale price 4 Doz. for 25c

Sewing Silk, 100 yard spools. Regular price 5c. Sale price 7 Spools 25c

## 25c SALE OF SILKS

Plain and Dotted Silk, 27 inches wide. Regular price 25c a yard. Sale price 2 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE OF DRESS GOODS

38 inch wide Poplin Serge, in the newest shades. Regular price 39c a yard. Sale price 25c Yard

## 25c SALE OF HOSIERY

Women's Black Cotton Hose, double sole, heel and toe; double garter tops. A regular 19c quality. Sale price 2 Pairs 25c

Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors; double sole, heel and toe. A 19c value. Sale price 2 for 25c

Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1-1 rib; double knee, heel and toe, 12 1/2c value. Sale price 4 Pairs 25c

## 25c SALE OF GLOVES

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Corset Covers of good quality Nainsook, in a variety of lace and embroidery trimmed. Regular price 39c. Sale price 25c

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27 in. Flouncing of fine Swiss, with large eyelet designs. Regular price 50c yard. Sale price 25c Yard

Cambric Insertions and Edges. Regular price 10c yard. Sale price 6 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

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Boys' Balbriggan Shirts, high neck and long sleeves; 25c quality. Sale price 2 for 25c

Boys' Balbriggan Drawers, ankle length; 25c quality. Sale price 2 for 25c

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## 25c SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 12 1/2c. Sale price 3 for 25c

Women's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 10c. Sale price 6 for 25c

Men's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 5c. Sale price 9 for 25c

Men's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 10c. Sale price 6 for 25c

Women's Fleece Vests, high neck, long and short sleeves. 33c quality. Sale price 25c

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Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless and lace bottom; 39c quality. Sale price 25c

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Colored Curtain Scrim, 12 1/2c value. 3 Yards for 25c

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Butte & Superior	44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2
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Centennial	19	19	19
Chino	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Copper Range	33	32 1/2	32 1/2
East Butte	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Empire	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Granby	63	62 1/2	62 1/2
Greene-Cannana	26	24 1/2	24 1/2
Hancock	12	11 1/2	12
Hindman	1	1	1
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Kerr Lake	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Lake	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Lake Umbagog	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., Jan. 20.—Reports that striking miners in the southern part of Belmont county were on their way here to release Joseph J. Ettor, I. W. W. leader, arrested yesterday at Balairo charged with treason, caused Sheriff Bulger to increase his force of deputies and prepare otherwise to meet a posse attack. Sheriff Bulger's representatives in the coal strike district reported, however, that there was no indication of an organized attack on the county jail here. No date has been set for Ettor's hearing.

Mayflower	5	5	5
Miami	15 1/2	18	18
Nobahawk	45 1/2	45 1/2	43
Norfolk	18 1/2	19 1/2	19
Nipissing	18 1/2	19 1/2	18 1/2
North Butte	22 1/2	23	23
North Lake	1 1/2	1 1/2	1
Old Colony	1 1/2	1 1/2	1
Quincy	66	60	67
Ruy Cons	17 1/2	17 1/2	17
Santa Fe	12 1/2	12 1/2	11
Shannon	21 1/2	23 1/2	4
Trinity	2 1/2	2 1/2	27
U S Smelt	21	20 1/2	20
U S Smelt pf.	33 1/2	33	33
Utah-Ar.	10 1/2	10 1/2	2
Utah Cons	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Winona	10 1/2	10 1/2	1
Wolverine	38	38	38

TELEPHONE

Am Tel & Tel.	121 1/2	112 1/2	120
New Eng Tel.	126 1/2	116 1/2	125

MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Ag Chem Com.	52	52	52
Am Ag Chem pf.	93	93	93
Am Woolen pf.	74	74	74
Nass Gas pf.	88	88	88
Nass Gas pf.	91	91	91
Pond Creek	18	14 1/2	15
Swift & Co.	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
United Fruit	123	122 1/2	122 1/2
United Sh M.	66	66	66
BONDS			
Am Tel & T 4s.	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
COTTON MARKET			
NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Cotton			

The less noise a baby hears, the less he is carried about and played with for the first six months of his life, the better it will be. It is seldom necessary to take him from his crib except for his bath and meals. The habit of tossing him about and trotting him up and down is a bad one. Dainty and attractive bibs can be made for the wee kiddies by buying the smallest size gingham and cutting a semi-circle opening for the head. Bind it with narrow cotton or silk tape and allow the ends along enough to tie.

The close was steady. Jan. 8.35; May 8.53; June 8.55; July 8.98; Aug. 9.06; Oct. 9.21.  
The close was steady. Jan. 8.50; March 8.79; May 9.01; July 9.09; Dec. 9.57.

USED MAILS TO DEFRAUD

Have regular hours for his naps and see that everything is favorable for sleep at that time. He should be housed in a blind or a "cave" or "cubicle." Place his crib in such a position that the light will not shine directly upon his face, preferably in a cool, quiet corner. Do not cover him too warmly. Change his position occasionally, and he will sleep longer.

Cut out a large picture and button-hole to the bib in the center or arrange smaller ones in each corner and a small group of pictures in the center.

Every child should be taught to gargle. Use plain water until they have learned how to treat it to the game. Then when the time comes that gargle is necessary, no time will be lost in the teaching.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Francis Griffin and his wife, Clara, who pleaded guilty, recently to using the ma-

to defraud their wealthy acquaintances of approximately \$300,000. Investors stenography bureau, were sentenced today in the federal court. Girl was given a seven year term in federal penitentiary at Atlanta; wife was sentenced to serve six years in the state prison for women at

may be increased if desired.

In the absence of honey, any sweet fruit juices may be substituted, and fruit juice makes a much more palatable combination than the sugar-syrup, such as lemon, grape juice, etc., which are usually recommended as a disguise for the oil. Children especially prefer something sweet.

If taken in time it will often prevent a severe cold. It is also good for indigestion. Dissolve a quarter of a teaspoonful of honey in half a glass of water, add a few drops of lemon juice and drink slowly.

A package of absorbent cotton will be found very useful to wash baby's eyes and mouth with the honey and

**THREE REPUBLICANS ELECTED**  
CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 20.—The legislature today elected the three rep-

lycan candidates for state officers. For  
ward N. Pearson of Concord, secre-  
of state, re-elected; Wesley Plun-  
of Concord, state treasurer; and  
bert E. Titherly of Claremont, com-  
missary general. The democratic  
ldates for the offices, in order, were  
Charles C. Hayes of Manchester, Fr-  
rick J. Bolger of Concord and Sam-  
H. Edes of Newport.

Another style is made long, buttons down the back, is cut V shape back and in front, trimmed all around with a little ruffle, and ties with a big ruffle collar. Either of these could be used for dresses on warm days for indoors.

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## FOREIGN TRADE

Was Discussed by W. L. Saunders at Conference in St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 21.—The question of how far existing government regulation affects foreign trade was discussed by W. L. Saunders of New York in an address before the Second National Foreign Trade Conference here today.

"The United States government has no authority in the matter of sales for delivery to foreign countries," he declared. "To increase the sales of American-made goods, agents for such goods in foreign countries have the right to get together and fix prices and terms so long as they do not violate the laws of the land in which they are doing business. There is nothing in the Sherman law which prohibits price-fixing, pools and trade combinations of American purchasers in selling goods for delivery abroad."

"It may be best," continued Mr. Saunders, "for those who doubt this interpretation of the law to bring a test case rather than expect congress to pass permissive legislation. The term 'foreign commerce' which is used in the Sherman law is evidently intended to apply to importations and not exportations for both are involved in the broad term 'foreign commerce'."

"Apart from legal opinion it would seem plain that the government of the United States has no authority in the matter of sales made for delivery to foreign countries. It is not within its province to regulate them, as the concern and control of the government of any country are limited to its own territory. Two men located in Italy to promote the sale of American-made tools have a perfect right to get together and fix prices and terms so long as they do not violate the laws of the country in which they are doing business. Nor is it necessary for competitors to be located at the foreign point of delivery, since so long as the proof exists that delivery is made outside of the limits of the United States it seems plain, within the province of anyone to cooperate to the fullest extent in negotiating sales. Price-fixing is not in itself immoral nor is a monopoly immoral. They are both wrong when they are unfair or are contrary to the public welfare or when they are construed as unfair acts, and in this case unfair acts are such only as are, unfair or are contrary to the public welfare."

"Congress can hardly be expected to pass permissive legislation for the conduct of business done in foreign countries; it might be prejudicial to international relations for the government to make one law for its own country and a law of contrary provisions for foreign countries. The laws governing business in foreign countries vary and everyone doing business should be governed only by the laws of the country in which the business is done."

## DISCUSS FIRE PREVENTION

QUESTION OF MOTORIZATION AND OTHER MATTERS PERTAINING TO WATER DEPARTMENT

The following article is sent in by a citizen interested in fire prevention and the lowering of insurance rates:

Editor Sun:

Dear Sir: It was with surprise that members of the fire prevention committee of the board of trade read the recent interview with the commissioner of the department of fire protection and water works. In view of the success of motor apparatus in New York, Boston, Springfield, Lynn and other cities, it seems strange to hear the head of a fire department criticize any movement looking to the increase of such apparatus in his department.

No one wishes the insurance companies to "deflate" to this city, but the committee realizes that certain conditions found by experts must be corrected or an increase in rates is bound to come. Insurance rates are based on an average of the entire country and cannot be maintained at their present level or reduced by a nation-wide fight against the fire danger. This is the work of the national board of fire underwriters.

While the committee holds no brief for the insurance companies and the members are fully as desirous as the commissioner of lower rates, yet it will be admitted that rates must be high enough to cover the losses. Selling fire insurance is a business proposition and cannot be conducted from year to year at a loss. If the American people will not learn to prevent unnecessary fires or provide proper means for the extinguishment of such as occur, they must expect high rates of insurance. With a property loss of \$250,000 yearly in Lowell it is not necessary to point to the Salem conflagration to find the reason for high rates in this city or of the danger of higher ones; particularly as this is practically about two-thirds of the city's valuation, the remaining one-third being mill property.

The survey of this city was made during April and May, several weeks before the Salem fire occurred. The insurance companies undoubtedly were hard hit at Salem but the people of that city who lost their homes and places of employment were hit harder. It is not alone to meet the requirements of the insurance companies that steps should be taken to modernize the equipment of the Lowell fire department, but as a protection to ourselves. The fact that there has never been a conflagration in this city is no proof that there will not be one ere 24 hours have passed. "We have never had a disastrous fire" could as truthfully be said by the mayor of Salem on the 24th of June and yet in a few hours he was to witness the destruction of \$14,000,000 of taxable property and the rendering homeless of thousands, a condition made possible by gross incompetence in the management of the fire and water departments. Are we to learn the lesson that it teaches or will it be necessary to burn the city and water department, but as a protection to ourselves. The fact that there has never been a conflagration in this city is no proof that there will not be one ere 24 hours have passed. "We have never had a disastrous fire" could as truthfully be said by the mayor of Salem on the 24th of June and yet in a few hours he was to witness the destruction of \$14,000,000 of taxable property and the rendering homeless of thousands, a condition made possible by gross incompetence in the management of the fire and water departments. Are we to learn the lesson that it teaches or will it be necessary to burn the city and water department, but as a protection to ourselves.

Considering the large number of wooden tenement houses and their roofs in our several congested districts, the conflagration risk is not only a possibility but at any time a probability, unless the city takes prompt action. Consider the day of the Chelsea fire. Does any one believe that a fire once started in Little Canada or Upper Market street could have been confined with the equipment we now have? South Salem burned from fires started by brands carried hundreds of feet across the railroad tracks. Likewise in Lowell, while the canals were in process of assistance in stopping the onrush of a serious fire, they would prove of little value once the conflagration point had been reached. Successful fire departments fight fires in their infancy. They do not allow them to grow until they reach the conflagration point. The greater number of the fires, being caught while small, are fought with chemicals and losses kept low. This may benefit the insurance companies but it does not benefit the owner of the property. At times a serious fire is broken out when the alarm is given, in such a case water is wanted and wanted at once. We cannot, in this day of congested and high valued districts, wait 10 or 15 minutes while steam is built up in the engine. Water will not flow from the canals until it is drafted. We must have some method of obtaining sufficient pressure by the automobile pumping engine, ready the instant the canal or hydrant is reached.

But the pump will prove of little value if time must be lost while the horse-drawn hose car and ladder truck are slowly wending their way to the point of attack. But even with the most modern apparatus a fire cannot be put out if the water mains are so small that the fire engine loses the water when the start is made. Does the commissioner think that citizens living in portions of the Highlands and of Belvidere Heights feel no interest in the conditions found by the engineers of the national board, or does he think that dwelling on the subject of canals in the centre of the city will make them forget their own danger? Larger water mains must be laid in certain parts of the city. As to the possible connection between the city of Lowell and the Locks & Canals services in case of a serious fire in any of the manufacturing plants water would be turned into the latter from the former; not from the Locks & Canals into the city mains.

This would increase the supply for mill fire fighting, but surely would not be of assistance to the city in a conflagration. The peril to the city does not lie in the mill property. If the city had been as generous in the past, as the mill corporations, the need would not be so pressing today. Lowell's danger is in her congested tenement districts; fire breeders for the rest of the city.

From the list of cities given which have suffered conflagrations the inference is drawn that all such fires have occurred in sea city lake board towns. In passing, attention might be called to Bangor, Me., with \$8,000,000 loss, a city situated nearly as far from the ocean as Lowell. However, let us compare the wind velocity of Boston with this city. In the former city the wind, during the past 15 years, attained a velocity of 25 or more miles per hour about 74 days per year, while in the latter, similar velocities were reached on an average 15 times a year. There was practically no wind on the night of the great fire in Boston in '72 while the memorable "thaw" was in progress, a rain storm. The Salem fire was a slow burning conflagration, the wind being light. South Lowell is not peculiarly favored and only a spark, if not quickly quenched may cause this spot to be but a heap of blackened ruins.

Playing at considerable length upon the desirability of a modern equipment, the question now naturally arises. Can the city of Lowell meet the expense? The answer is that the motor apparatus will in a short time pay its own cost. The initial expense, at the outside to fully equip the department with motor apparatus will not exceed \$100,000, and much of the present equipment may be disposed of, thus further reducing the first cost. There are in use at the present time over 60 horses, several of which are used for service only. These may be replaced during the coming year if motor apparatus is not purchased. The average expense for feeding, shoeing, etc., will amount to about \$300 for each horse or a yearly cost of \$15,000. In addition is the cost of sundries, as blankets, brushes and medicines, beside the harness expense, a large item in itself. Add to this the cost of repairing stables, heating large houses and the total maintenance expense directly chargeable to horse drawn apparatus will amount to many thousands of dollars. If motor apparatus is purchased it will be possible to close at least one house and at the same time furnish better fire protection to the district. A steamer may respond to but one alarm in a week but it has cost more than \$15 just to feed the horses on the days that the wheels were not turned. With a pump engine the expense would not begin until the song struck and then would not exceed a few cents unless the engine worked for a considerable length of time.

On meal hours the department is undermanned and more men for fire duty are needed. If motor apparatus is installed the services of the drivers of the hose cars and ladder trucks will be available, while the engineers of the pumping engines will also act as chauffeurs. If motor apparatus is not provided more permanent men must be appointed to the force at an added expense to the taxpayers.

In closing let us realize that we are facing a condition, not a theory nor a threat. We must do something and

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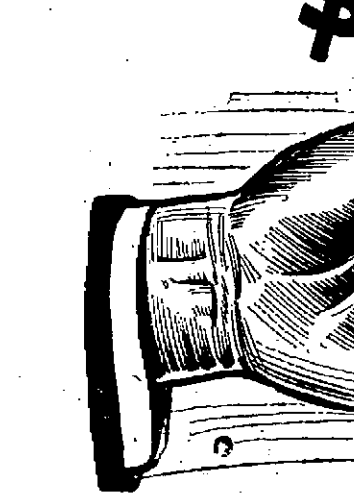
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## THE RABBIT'S FOOT

BY GWEN SEARS

## THE HAIR IN WINTER

Even the fluffiest, most luxuriant head of hair will begin to show signs of deterioration during the winter, the evidence being lack of lustre.

The woman who values her crown of glory will do well therefore, to give her hair special attention at this season, and it is surprising how readily the average head will respond to a little judicious treatment. Inside of ten days the hair will cease to fall out and within a month its soft fluffiness and lustre will return.

A shampoo never should be given oftener than once in three weeks. Meanwhile the tresses may be kept that something at once. We may not put Lowell in Class "A," the expense of which may be too great but we may prevent an increase in the insurance rates, which is a direct or indirect tax on every citizen of the city and at the same time we may make our homes and places of business as safe as it is possible to make them. "Safety First" is the motto of the day. "Better be safe than sorry" will not only apply to unnecessary street car accidents but to unnecessary fire losses as well.

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## WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

## MAKING A WINDOW SEAT

"We have a bay window, Marie," remarked Marjorie with a puzzled expression in her eyes, "which seems to be useless. How would a window seat do?"

"Just the thing I should say," answered Marie. "Wait a moment, I think I can refer to my scrap book and tell you just how to have one made."

"Yes, here it is. You should have a seat made in three sections following the outline of the window sills along the further edge and built across the front. The top of each section be-

ing made as a lid on hinges makes it possible to use the interior as three storage boxes, and this you can have painted with cedar oil as a protection against moths.

"The box seat is finished on the outside to harmonize with the woodwork of the room, and you can ornament the front surface by making three panels mortised in the centre spaces and marked off with strips of narrow molding.

"If the bay window space is too shallow to allow a comfortable window seat to be made, the top of the box may be used to hold window boxes or potted plants."

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# THE "BATTLER" INSULTED

## Nelson Accused of Being "Soakum Yoakum's" Brother — Won't Stand for it

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Batling Nelson has been grossly insulted. "It happened this way," declared Bat. "When I was in one of the big towns in the west recently a fellow came to me and told me that there was a fighter in town that was a dead ringer for me. 'He's your double,' this fellow told me. That excited me, and so I looked up and down the street. I wanted to see what my face looked like when it was hitched on to another fellow. 'Say, who do you think that 'double' of mine was? Nobody else but Soakum Yoakum. Gee Whizz! I was not a thing of beauty nor a joy forever, but I certainly think that I'm a handsome guy in comparison with that Soakum Yoakum. He's the limit—honestly, he is. You can bet on it that if I ever catch up with that guy who claimed that homely Soakum Yoakum looked like me—or that I looked like him—I'm going to soak that guy and soak him darned good, too."

Ad Wolgast put the finger on Nelson something like five years ago. Other lightweights have arisen to the heights, since then, but somehow or other Batling Nelson remains as the ideal of pugilistic fandom. Bat always gave the public his money's worth. He was game to the core—and he always fought fair. And the fans love him just as much today as they did when he ruled as king of the lightweight division.

**Awaken to Come Back**

Bat, after a long lay-off is yearning to do a "comeback." He is sure that he can beat the best man of his class, and he wants to scrap any man in the division. He particularly anxious to swap punches with Ad Wolgast.

"He beat me once, but he can't do it again," says Bat. "I'm still good. I'm 30 years old, but I've always kept in good shape. I've never dissipated. I admit that I lost my speed some few years ago, but I think that was because I fought too often. It sapped my vitality. The lay-off I've had has enabled me to get back into trim again and I feel certain that I can beat the best man in my class right now."

It is credited with being one of the tightest fisted guinea that ever earned a dollar through pugilistic endeavor. "He said that Bat has the first dollar he ever earned and all the others—with interest and accumulation. But that is not true," Bat became known as a "tight-fisted" pugilist because he refused to do what other pugilists did.

# HELD PARISH SUPPER

## REPORTS OF YEAR PRESENTED AT HIGH STREET CHURCH—TRIBUTE TO THE MRS. STOTT

The annual parish supper of the High street church was held last evening and the reports of the various committees were very encouraging. The pastor, Rev. Allan Conant, Ferris was moderator. If, Kirke White was lastmaster of the evening. Haven G. Hill reported for the prudential committee, showing that \$600 had been expended during the year. The sum of \$1100 was spent for repairs and alterations during the evening the Women's Aid society of the church presented an appreciation of the late Mrs. Charles A. Stott as follows:

The long connection of Mrs. Chas. A. Stott with the Women's Aid society of High street church, and the great helpfulness of her relation to the society make it very fitting that at this first annual parish supper since her death an expression of appreciation of her services should be made by the society, as well as of the esteem and affection in which she was held by the women of the parish.

By her grace of manner, her kindness and sympathy and her beautiful Christian character, Mrs. Stott won our hearts. Her graciousness and generosity were unfeigned, her calmness and serenity were a source of strength, and her rare optimism was an inspiration to us all, and a potent element in her success as an organizer and administrator in the many philanthropies in which she was interested.

We are reminded at this time that this annual gathering of the members of the parish of High street church, as a custom, owes its origin to the personal efforts and efficiency of Mrs. Stott.

Eight years ago Mrs. Stott was, by unanimous desire of the women of the parish, chosen president of the Women's Aid society, an office which, by the same unanimous desire, she continued to fill until last May, when she was made honorary president, as a token of our love and of our appreciation of her services in the past.

Not only in this church, but in the city at large, Mrs. Stott was ever active in the cause of charity and benevolence, and was widely recognized as an efficient and enthusiastic leader. Therefore, grateful for her many years of helpfulness and usefulness, for her friendship and loyalty, the women of High street church give this sincere expression of their esteem, and affection, and extend to the members of her family their heartfelt sympathy with them in the loss of their beloved mother.

# LOWELL FIREMEN'S RELIEF

LIST OF LOWELL MEN ADDED TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AS RESULT OF ELECTION

The annual election of officers of the Lowell Firemen's Relief Fund Association has been held with the following result:

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# FACTORY LEAGUE

## Tremont and Suffolk in Lead—Jodoin Has Top Average

The official standing and averages of the Manufacturers Bowling league as turned in by Secretary Farrell finds the Tremont & Suffolk still leading, followed closely by the Buntings and Merrimacks. The Merrimack team has shot into the races owing to the superb rolling of Panton and McNeil.

Jodoin of the T. & S. quintet leads the average list with 58.24, McDermott is next with 57.13, F. O'Brien is third with 56.7. Arrangements are to be made for tournaments with the different societies in the city. The Y. M. C. I. were defeated in their recent meeting with the Manufacturers teams.

STANDING			
Teams	Won	Lost	P.A.
Tremont & Suffolk...	28	5	16,222
U. S. Bunting...	26	10	16,615
Merrimack Mfg. Co. 26	11	16,363	
U. S. M. repair shops 14	10	10,623	
Chas. Mfg. Co. 13	10	16,611	
Cartridge Co. 10	11	10,100	
Hamilton Co. 12	21	15,016	
Mohair Push Co. 12	27	15,064	
Mohair Lumber Co. 6	12	8,227	
John Phillips Shoe 2	25	1,342	

High team total, first, Tremont & Suffolk, 1460.  
Second, U. S. Cartridge, 1143.  
High team single, first, U. S. Bunting, 515.  
Second, Tremont & Suffolk, 513.  
Highest second three strings, first, Williams, Mass., 327.  
Second and third, Jodoin, T. & S., and Lane, Buntings, tied, 225.  
High single second, McNeil, Merrimack, 132.  
Ganley, Mass., 131.  
Chandler, E. & M., 122.

AVERAGES OVER 90			
Jodoin, T. & S. ....	36	58.24	
McDermott, T. & S. ....	36	57.13	
F. O'Brien, Cartridge ...	18	56.7	
Buckley, Buntings ....	27	56.93	
McNeil, Merrimacks ....	32	56.24	
Panton, Merrimacks ....	36	56.20	
Lane, Buntings ....	27	54.21	
Paul, Hamilton ....	30	54.10	
Williams, Mass. ....	31	54.01	
Chandler, B. & M. ....	21	54.01	
Boyle, Mass. ....	39	53.11	
Trickels, B. & M. ....	9	53.04	
Whalen, T. & S. ....	36	52.27	
Halfkenny, T. & S. ....	35	52.27	
Moran, Mass. ....	15	52.03	
Downey, Merrimacks ....	15	52.03	
Arnold, U. S. Cartridge ...	18	52.03	
Quirk, U. S. Cartridge ...	15	52.00	
Smith, Buntings ....	24	52.00	
Gameron, B. & M. ....	21	51.11	
Gleason, U. S. Cartridge ...	9	51.02	
Riley, Buntings ....	32	51.01	
Burt, Buntings ....	34	50.12	
Dickerson, B. & M. ....	12	50.01	
Knight, Mohair Push ....	12	50.01	

**League Notes**

Jodoin is hitting the maples in fine style.

Lane is a member of Carr's City league team.

Panton is a fine anchor man for the Merrimacks.

F. O'Brien of the Cartridge Co. is one of the best bowlers in Lowell.

The All-Stars are too fast for the Lowell teams.

McDermott, captain of the T. & S. team, is a member of the Crescents.

Williams of the Mass. team is the mainstay of his team.

Big meeting Thursday night. Every captain is requested to attend—very important.

# THE CITY LEAGUE

Tuesday night's games in the City league caused no change in the standing, the leaders carrying off all the honors. The White Ways got four points without a struggle from the Y. M. C. I. while the Crescents and Bowlaways also took four points from the Brunswick and Carr's teams, respectively. Concannon still leads in the individual average with Davis second and Kempton third. Davis in his first City league game pulled out an average of 193.1. The standing of the teams and the individual bowlers are as follows:

Concannon 193.1, Davis 193.1, Kempton 182.36, Myrick 192.7, MacL 191.22, Keller 191.15, Marquis 190, Noel 99.30, Devlin 98.22, Jewett 99.17, Flanders 95.7, Lebrun 95, Mosher 95, Chabbert 95.17, Hall 95.12, Curry 95.11, McNeil 95.2, Martin 95.39, McQuade 97.22, Walsh 97.15, O'Brien 97.10, McCormack 97.7, O'Day 97.6, Noonan 97.5, McDermott 97.5, Kittredge 97.4, Perrin 96.5, Wynne 96.24, Johnson 95.19, Cole 95.7, Moran 95.1.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS			
White Ways .....	38	14	19,219
Crescents .....	38	15	19,512
Bowlaways .....	21	20	18,540
Kittredge's .....	26	26	18,321
Carr's .....	21	28	18,713
Los Miserables .....	20	32	18,437
Brunswick .....	17	35	15,063
Y. M. C. I. ....	14	38	16,102

LEAGUE RECORDS			
High team total, White Ways, 1576.			
Second, Crescents, 1550.			
High team single, Crescents 547.			
Second, White Ways, 548.			
Individual three strings, Kempton, 553.			
Second, Concannon, 552.			
Individual one string, Kelley, 152.			
Second, Concannon, 135.			

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For years, many of our loyal patrons who have used Coke as their only fuel, have requested us to continue the familiar and earlier universal practice of selling Coke by the chaldron, and we have complied with heaping measure. But the change must now be made and in making it we shall give our Coke patrons even greater value than before. Sales by larger units, tons instead of chaldrons, will lessen our delivery costs, and this benefit will go to the Coke consumer.

We formerly sold one chaldron of Coke, 1440 pounds net fuel, for \$5.00. We shall now sell one ton, 2000 pounds net fuel, unequaled high grade Coke for \$5.90.

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# MR. LEONARD NOT GUILTY

## CONCORD STREET DEALER ACQUITTED IN SUPERIOR COURT ON CHARGE OF ILLEGAL SELLING

Terence D. Leonard of this city was found not guilty of a violation of the conditions of his fourth class liquor license by a jury in the superior court at East Cambridge yesterday. It was alleged that Leonard or one of his clerks sold liquor by the glass to customers but the evidence did not satisfy the jury, and he was acquitted. William A. Hogan appeared for the defendant.

# BRITISH AMERICAN CLUB

## HENRY A. WISBY PRESENTED LOVING CUP FOR HIS WORK FOR RELIEF FUND

The British-American Social club met last evening in Post 129 hall, with President N. McN. Watters in the chair. It was announced that the proceeds of the benefit concert given in December would be over \$450. A feature of the evening was the presentation of a silver loving cup to Henry A. Wisby by President Watters, in recognition of his work in raising money for the Prince of Wales fund. Refreshments were served and plans for the club's future were discussed.

**MINSTREL SHOW AT FARM**

Major Murphy is arranging for a minstrel performance at the Chelmsford street hospital to be held Wednesday evening, Feb. 17. The performance will be held in the big hall at the institution and will be given by members of the South End club.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.









# JUDGE CARROLL NAMED

Nominated by Gov. Walsh to Succeed Judge Sheldon in the Supreme Court

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Judge James B. Carroll of the superior court was yesterday nominated justice of the supreme judicial court to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Judge Henry K. Sheldon. The selection of Judge Carroll was no surprise, as it had been understood that Gov. Walsh desired him for a higher place in the judiciary than the superior court bench, to which he appointed him Dec. 9 of last year.

When announcement was made of Judge Carroll's appointment, Gov. Walsh gave out the following statement: "I have given an unusual amount of thought and consideration to the selection of a successor of Justice Sheldon, whose long and exceptionally able service as justice of the supreme judicial court was unexpectedly ended by his recent retirement. I recently called from the superior court bench Judge Carroll, who brings to the supreme judicial court a long service and experience as a justice of the great trial court.

"After carefully considering the qualifications of various able judges and prominent members of the legal profession, I decided a few days ago to appoint Judge James B. Carroll of Springfield. The fact that Mr. Carroll was

recently named by me as a justice of the superior court embarrassed me somewhat upon first consideration of his availability, but when I realized that had I not named him to the superior court I certainly would consider him for the supreme court, I concluded that he ought not to be rejected from consideration merely because he had within a few weeks been named as a justice of the superior court.

"The very fact that a man capable of service in a higher court was willing to go upon the superior bench was a matter to be weighed strongly in favor of his further consideration. I consider his appointment practically as a selection from the bar rather than the bench.

"I do not know of any man in the commonwealth who in these days of unrest and discontent and with agitation here and there for the election of judges and the recall of judicial decisions that would bring more strength to the supreme judicial court or restore more confidence among those who complain of discrimination against the un-Industrial, than Mr. Carroll.

Work on Accident Board  
"Mr. Carroll stands in the public mind as head of the industrial accident board for a simple, direct, unerring and inexpensive method of establishing justice. His work in administering this semi-judicial tribunal achieved a notable degree of success. As head of that tribunal he has been in an atmosphere where delays, controversies, quibbles, technicalities find no place.

"He has been commended almost universally by the employers and the working people of Massachusetts. The tribute which came to him from the labor organizations and the industrial employers of the commonwealth upon his retirement from this board indicates the great confidence that both these industrial forces will have in him as a justice of the supreme judicial court. Our supreme court is meeting today more than ever great industrial questions, and to the solution of these questions I believe Mr. Carroll will bring the exceptional experience.

"Mr. Carroll accepted the work upon the industrial accident board at a sacrifice because it interested him and he threw into it the best of his splendid abilities. He deserves public gratitude and recognition for the service he has performed.

"While the working people to whom he has come so near and for whom he

has done so much in justice's cause were sorry to lose him from the industrial accident board, in his appointment to the supreme bench they would not regret his leaving the position which merely gave him a wider scope for his helpful activities.

"Of even greater importance are Mr. Carroll's qualifications as a lawyer, by reason of his extensive and varied experience in trial of causes in all the courts; that he has met and known human nature from the highest to the most lowly; that he knows the rural and urban life of the commonwealth; that his mind is acute and discriminating; his manner gentle and courteous; his character firm, resolute and independent.

"He lacks no quality of a great humanitarian judge."

## THE SHIP PURCHASE BILL

BEFORE THE SENATE AGAIN TODAY—SEN. WEEKS CONTINUES ATTACK

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The government ship purchase bill was before the senate again today for discussion, with Senator Weeks of Massachusetts ready to take the floor to renew his attack in continuation of the republican filibuster upon the measure. Senator Weeks is continuing the fight begun by Senator Burton of Ohio, who yielded the floor to him yesterday after a day's assault on the measure.

Senators Lodge and Jones are prepared to follow Senator Weeks and other senators who are getting ready to continue the opposition includes Senators Root, Smoot, Brandegee, Gallinger and Nelson.

As soon as the speeches on the pending bill have been exhausted the republicans plan to introduce a substitute measure as the basis for the continuation of their attacks. At that time the democrats propose to secure instead of adjourning from day to day so as to keep the discussion in one legislative day and thereby handicap the republicans under the rule that no senator can speak more than twice on one subject in the same legislative day. To meet this situation the republicans plan to offer from time to time amendments and substitutes to inject new subjects for debate.

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## LEFT ON TITANIC

Woman Gets Divorce Because Husband Deserted Her on Ship

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—The veil of secrecy which has covered the reasons leading up to the divorce obtained by Mrs. Lucille Polk Carter, the New York, Baltimore and Newport society leader, from her husband, William E. Carter, yesterday, was lifted when publication was made of portions of her testimony before the master to the effect that Carter had left her and her child to save themselves aboard the sinking Titanic.

Mrs. Carter was granted a decree last June, and on Aug. 15 she was married to George Brooks, the Pennsylvania football coach, a wealthy club man of this city, as a result of an acquaintance formed in one of the Titanic's open boats.

"When the Titanic struck," declared Mrs. Carter in her testimony, "my husband came to me and said, 'Get up and dress yourself and the children.' I never saw him again until I was put aboard the Carpathia. He was leaning over the rail as we climbed up from the boats to the deck, and all he had to say to me was, 'I have had a jolly good breakfast, but I never thought I would make it.'"

Mrs. Carter, according to her former wife and other passengers on the Titanic, left the stricken vessel in the same boat that rescued Bruce Ismay, managing director of the White Star line.

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## TO AID QUAKE VICTIMS

ITALIAN CABINET WANTS \$6,000,000 FOR SUFFERERS AND SUSPENSION OF TAX COLLECTIONS

PARIS, Jan. 21.—The Italian cabinet is about to submit several decrees having for their purpose the alleviation of conditions in the earthquake districts for the signature of the king, says the Rome correspondent of the Havas agency. The decrees are as follows:

First—Authorizing the expenditure of \$6,000,000 to aid the victims of the earthquake; second, suspending the collection of taxes in the affected areas; third, establishing a moratorium for five months for bills of exchange and commercial paper in the province of Aquila and the district of Sora; fourth, guaranteeing the payment of salaries of school teachers.

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## NORMAL SCHOOL

State Board of Education Declares Teachers Must Get to Work

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Lowney's Cocoa 1/2 lb. can 14c	20 lb. tubs 13c lb.	Big Brown Eggs 28c doz.	Cranberries 3 qts. for 10c
Dandy Cocoa 1 lb. can 22c	10s pails \$1.30	Meadow Grove Eggs 30c doz.	Boston Lettuce 5c
Warner's Cocoa 1/2 lb. can 12c	5s pails 65c	Brookfield Eggs 35c doz.	
Good Coffee 18c lb.	3s pails 40c	Fancy Cream Cheese 20c lb.	SALT PORK
Arbuckle's Ground Coffee 20c		New Cheese 15c lb.	Beef Pork 13c lb.
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German Green Peas, qt. 12c	No. 1 Baldwin Apples 25c pk.	Salt Salmon, lb. 10c
German Yellow Peas, qt. 10c	New Figs, large pkg. 10c	Salt Herring, big 3 for 10c
Cranberry Beans, qt. 10c	New, English Walnuts, 18c lb.	Salt Herring 2 for 5c
Lima Beans, lb. 8c		Boneless Codfish, lb. pkg. 8c
Rex Beans, 2 lb. cans 9c		Boneless Codfish, loose 3 lbs. 25c
Campbell's Beans, 2 lb. cans 9c		Smoked Bloaters 2 for 5c
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teachers who from the start will be thoroughly efficient in their work.

"It is a fact," the report says, "that the larger proportion of normal school teachers incline, unconsciously but persistently, to emphasize the general or nonprofessional aspects of that which they teach, and to neglect the essentially professional aspects. The board is convinced that systematic efforts must be made to have normal school teachers acquaint themselves directly with school conditions as they exist, and in a measure to assume responsibility for suggesting practical improvements. Courses of normal school instruction hereafter approved by the board of education, it is expected, will show, in as clear-cut fashion as is now practical differentiations between general and professional studies."

The board also recommends occasional surveys of the work being done by local school departments, in this connection, saying: "One method whereby any community can learn the defects in its public schools as to their organization, methods of administration, supervision and teaching force is to have an inquiry made by competent experts from outside the community. The time has arrived when the state department, when requested by the proper authorities, participate in examinations of local school affairs when it is clearly evident that such examination can be made under suitable auspices and with necessary expert service. No additional legislation will be required to enable the board to render this service."

As one means of leading to clearer understandings and of establishing more effective methods of administration and procedure, the board intends shortly to issue a manual on school administration, intended to assist school committees and superintendents, who have no formal training, in their efforts to organize and administer on an effective basis, the school system of each community. There is now in course of preparation, under the auspices of the board, an agent for elementary education, and in conjunction with a number of committees of superintendents of schools, a course of study to be submitted to the school authorities of the various communities, for their adoption if they agree to accept it. The proposed certificate of minimum requirements, and a uniform standard which should prevail throughout the state.

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CITY HALL NEWS

The Sewer Job Presents New Problems—Other Matters

The repair of the damage on the Tanner street sewer is a bigger job than was anticipated, according to an engineer from the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, who is also supervisor of bridges. This engineer came to Lowell this morning and in company with City Engineer Stephen Kearney and Commissioner Charles J. Morse visited the premises and inspected the job.

A gang of men in the employ of the railroad company started timbering the coal pocket overhead the sewer this morning and in the course of the work it was deemed necessary to shore up two of the piers the entire length of the building as the footings interfered with the timbering of the trench.

The large amount of coal in the pocket is being hauled away as fast as possible and as soon as it is convenient without interfering with the railroad men Commissioner Morse will put a gang of men at work on the sewer job. It is hoped in a few days there

will be no coal left in the pocket and that will help the workmen greatly.

**Estimates**

Although yesterday, Jan. 20 was the last for the filing of estimates of the various departments at city hall, there still remains a few departments that have not been heard from. However, it is believed by tomorrow afternoon all estimates for the year 1915 will have been submitted.

At the request of the mayor each department supplies seven copies of its estimates, one for each commissioner and the mayor and one for the city auditor and another for the city engineer. As soon as the estimates are all in the mayor will fix a date for a meeting of the committee on appropriations and this will probably be next Monday.

**Panama Exposition**

The members of the municipal council and those of the school board are in receipt of invitations to attend the Panama exposition which will be held at San Francisco, Cal., sometime in February.

**Hearings**

Commissioner Boyle of the industrial accident board will come to Lowell to give a hearing on the workers' compensation act. Those interested are requested to be in the aldermanic chamber at city hall at 10:30 o'clock at which time Mr. Boyle and arbitrators will hear whatever cases are presented.

**Paving Plans**

The paving plan submitted to the municipal council by the Lowell board of trade has been turned over to the engineer's office for estimates as to the cost of the proposed work, and Engineer Kearney informed the writer this noon that he will have his figures ready in a couple of weeks. The plan is one prepared by a committee from the board of trade and includes paving work for 1915 and 1916.

ANTI-CIGARET LECTURE

Dr. Kress of Chicago Lectured at Billerica Last Night on "A Puff of Smoke and Its Consequences"

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Billerica, town hall last evening and heard Dr. Kress of Chicago, Ill., general secretary of the Anti-Cigaret League, lecture on "A Puff of Smoke and Its Consequences." Stereoscopic views were shown with the lecture.

The lecture was held under the auspices of the Billerica Parent Teachers' association, and among the audience were a great many women and boys.

Dr. Kress told of the evil in cigarette smoking and urged the boys not to form the habit. He cited many experiences where young men lost good positions on account of the cigarette habit and told of its effect on boys in general.

ARBITRATION HEARING

SEPT. FARRINGTON OF LOWELL AND JOHN L. NILES, FORMERLY OF THIS CITY, TESTIFY

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Testimony from the 16 division superintendents of the Bay State street railway at the arbitration hearings in Chipman hall, was completed yesterday. Ten of these officials were heard in the course of the day. James H. Vahey, representative of the carmen, announced that he would begin to call the blue uniform men today. Since the conditions from the point of view of motormen and conductors in each of the divisions will be described, many days will be occupied.

Supt. Ben. B. Foss of Lynn, Supt. Albert E. Myers of Reading, Supt. Walter B. Hall of Brockton, Supt. James O. Ellis of Chelsea, Supt. Eugene J. Donovan of Woburn, Supt. Garfield S. Chase of Haverhill, Supt. Timothy A. Donahue of Newburyport, Supt. William J. Doran of Nashua, Supt. Malenus B. Farrington of Lowell and Supt. John L. Niles of Gloucester were heard yesterday.

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**DEATHS**

GULLINE—Robert N. Gulline, formerly of this city, died Tuesday at his home in Dover, N. H. While in Lowell, deceased was connected with the Merrimack print works.

BLANCHARD—Jean Blanchard, aged 75 years, an esteemed member of St. Mary's parish, died last evening at his home, 17 Dodge street, after a lingering illness. He leaves besides his wife, three sons, Pierre and Camille of Lowell and Joseph Blanchard, in England; also six daughters, Mrs. Monique Caswell, Mrs. Agnes Richard, Mrs. Madeline Gaudette and Mrs. Christine Parais, all of this city; Mrs. Colina Hache and Mrs. Marie Clement, both in Canada.

CHARBONNEAU—Mrs. Josephine (Gallipeau) Charbonneau, aged 43 yrs. 10 months and six days, wife of Paul T. Charbonneau, died last evening at her home, 50 Fisher street, after a long illness. Deceased was an es-

teemed member of St. Louis parish and leaves a host of friends who will deeply regret her death. She was a prominent member of St. Anne's sodality of St. Louis parish. She leaves besides her husband, her father, Wilfrid Gallipeau; two sons, Albert and Gerard; and two daughters, Leola and Claire Charbonneau.

**FUNERAL NOTICES**

WALSH—The funeral of William Walsh will take place from his home, 324 Azanian street, Friday morning at 9 o'clock. There will be solemn mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker John J. Rogers.

GREENE—The funeral of Mrs. Rose A. Greene will take place Saturday morning from her home, 305 Thorndike street at 8 o'clock. At St. Peter's church a funeral mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker J. J. O'Connell in charge.

BROWN—Died Jan. 20th, in this city, Mrs. Annie Brown. Funeral services will be held at 20 Nesmith street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Kindly omit flowers. Burial will be made at Rose Point, N. Y., Saturday. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

RILEY—The funeral of Miss Mary A. Riley will take place Saturday morning at 8:15 o'clock from the home of her parents, 23 East Sixth street. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

FITZPATRICK—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Fitzpatrick will take place on Saturday morning from the chapel of J. J. O'Connell, 658 Gorham street, at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of J. J. O'Connell. Please omit flowers.

**FUNERALS**

PICKLES—The funeral of Alanson B. Pickles will take place Saturday afternoon from his home, 93 Bell street. The services were conducted by Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gorham Street P. M. church. The floral offerings included a pillow inscribed, "Husband and Father," family and other tributes from Mr. and Mrs. Walsh and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harrington and family, Mr. D. Mackinnon, B. Catherwood, Peter Kane, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. England and Mrs. England, employees of Park Worsted mills. Appropriate eulogies were sung by Mr. Thomas Watson. The bearers were Thomas Watson, Joseph Gentle, Peter Kane and Harry Rape. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where funeral services were read by Rev. Mr. Matthews. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

**ADAMS**—The funeral services of Mrs. Anna R. Adams were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary S. Ryan, 100 Forrest street. Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, pastor of the First Universalist church, officiated. The bearers were Walter B. Emerson, Arnold A. George A. and Ray Ryan. Burial was in the family lot in Forestlawn cemetery in Chelsea, where the funeral services were read by Rev. Mr. Fisher. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

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TRADERS BANK FINDS OVER A THOUSAND DEPOSITORS HAVE NOT CALLED FOR DIVIDENDS

Although the officials at the Traders National bank have been paying the second dividend of 10 per cent for over a month, a great many of the claimants have not yet called at the bank for their money and it is clearly evident that the people are not as anxious to secure their money as at the time of the payment of the first dividend. When the bank closed there were ap-

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Although the officials at the Traders National bank have been paying the second dividend of 10 per cent for over a month, a great many of the claimants have not yet called at the bank for their money and it is clearly evident that the people are not as anxious to secure their money as at the time of the payment of the first dividend. When the bank closed there were ap-

**MAY CALL STATE TROOPS**

STEPS TO HAVE ARMED DEPUTIES WITHDRAWN AT ROOSEVELT, N. J.

ROOSEVELT, N. J., Jan. 21.—Roosevelt was quiet today. There was no indication of any renewal of the disorders which culminated Tuesday in the shooting of 19 strikers by deputy sheriffs stationed at one of the plants of the American Agricultural Chemical Co. The funeral of the man who was killed which all the strikers expected to attend was postponed until tomorrow. Some of the 22 deputies who pleaded not guilty late yesterday afternoon to charges of manslaughter were back at the plant today. Steps will be taken, it is said, to have the armed deputies withdrawn from the borough, even should it be necessary to call on Gov. Fielder for state troops to take their places.

**LE SUPPLEMENT PUBLISHING CO.**

The stockholders of Le Supplement Publishing Co. held their annual meeting at their quarters in Market street last night and elected officers for the ensuing year with the following results:

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**FRESH KILLED CHICKENS, lb. 17c to 23c**

**SUGAR, lb. 5 1/2c**  
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**Special Pork Chops, lb. 15c**  
**Extra Fancy Sugar Cured Hams, lb. 14c**  
**Fancy Smoked Shoulders, lb. 12c**  
**Fancy Corned Shoulders, lb. 13c**  
**Fancy Corned Beef, lb. 9c**  
**Fancy Spare Ribs, lb. 12c**  
**Fancy Roast Beef, lb. 12c to 15c**  
**Fancy Sirloin Steak, lb. 18c**  
**Fall Legs Lamb, lb. 15c**

**Fall Lamb Chops, lb. 15c**  
**Best Corn Starch, pkg. 5c**  
**Best Corn Flakes, pkg. 4c**  
**Best Macaroni, pkg. 6c**  
**Best Spaghetti, pkg. 6c**  
**Colombia Salt, bag. 4c**  
**Choice Coffee, lb. 20c**  
**Choice Tea, lb. 25c**  
**Fancy Celery 10c**  
**Best Cranberries, qt. 5c**  
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# FIRE IN BILLERICA BURNS BARN AND AUTO

A spectacular fire occurred at North Billerica early this morning when a barn belonging to the estate of Owen Murningham and located on Pollard street, opposite Pollard rock, burned to the ground, destroying a touring car which was stored inside and 15 tons of hay besides a number of farming implements and other machinery. The origin of the fire seemed suspicious to the fire department officials and an investigation of the circumstances will undoubtedly be made by the state officers.

About 10 days ago a fire was discovered in the same barn by neighbors and Superintendent Stowers, of the water department, and several volunteers, succeeded in extinguishing the blaze before any serious damage was done. Only the rear of the automobile and a small part of the barn floor was burned. The fire was discovered about 11 o'clock at night.

The alarm for this morning's fire was sounded at the Talbot mills at 1:30 o'clock, after a resident of that vicinity had discovered the barn in flames and notified the watchman at the mill by telephone. The fire made such rapid headway, however, that long before the arrival of the fire department the entire structure was a mass of flames and none of the contents could be saved.

Occupants of several nearby houses maintained fears for some time that the strong wind would carry sparks to the roofs of their dwellings and while awaiting the arrival of the firemen several lines of small hose were played on the residences to prevent other fires. Fortunately the wind was blowing toward the Concord river and most of the burning embers were carried in that direction.

When the firemen reached the scene of action, there was nothing to do but prevent the spreading of the fire as the hay made great fuel for the flames and it was only a matter of a half hour before the whole barn was totally destroyed. The homestead, located only a few yards from the barn, did not catch fire though the occupants had removed furniture fearing that their home was to be ruined.

From what could be learned today, no one had rightfully been inside the barn for several days. It is possible that tramps were sleeping in the barn and started the fire by smoking. The automobile destroyed was owned by Edward T. Harrington of East Cambridge, while the hay and farming machinery belonged to Frank Harrington of North Billerica. The barn and machine were insured, it is said.

# PROF. TAFT SEES GOOD IN THE EUROPEAN WAR

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 21.—Dr. Taft, who has been visiting in Lowell, declared that the country was having a business, progress and learning and that the war was a necessary evil. He recalled, former President Taft said today that the people should go back to the system of justice, equity and moderation.

Prof. Taft was the guest of Indiana University and delivered the address at the founders day exercises.

He said that the conditions that led to the great reforms and we shall not do so," said Mr. Taft. "Corporations have been driven out of politics and while, of course, corruption is not ever absent the danger of plutocracy has disappeared and the purification of politics has constituted a real reform for which all good citizens must be grateful."

"Popular indignation cannot be really aroused or the levitation of the people be stirred to action such as they have thus taken, and stopped short at the line of wise moderation. Parts of the costs of the original disease is in the incidental damage from the inevitable use of remedies. The hostility of legislatures and of congress, consciously or unconsciously, has come to be directed against all successful investments of capital without discrimination. Nothing is as timid as capital and nothing is so easily able to take care of what it has. The ineffectual and hesitating character of the present commissions, created for the close supervision of corporate interests have so frightened capital as to shrink investments and stop the normal expansion in the business of the country."

**Wage-Makers, the Sufferers**

"The sad features of such excess of remedy," continued Mr. Taft, "however well intended, is that the persons who suffer most are the least able to bear it—suffering—the wage earners, whose comfort and living are dependent upon constant employment."

The former president defended the railroads by saying that the close and absolute supervision over the management and the restriction upon the rates, together with the increase or maintenance of wages through the power of trades unions have around the railroads between the upper and nether millstone and prevented a fair return upon their capital. The solvency of some of them is threatened and all this to the detriment to the business of the country and especially to the comfort and happiness of wage earners, dependent upon normal business and normal demand for labor.

Increased rates for railroads when conditions require was urged by Mr. Taft. He said that the "full crew" laws that imposed on the railroads the burden of employing unnecessary labor, an exaction due to the undue and unjust influence exercised by the trades unions over legislatures, should be repealed.

**New Reforms Criticized**

Prof. Taft criticized many of the new reforms in governmental affairs and declared that the selection of candidates at a general primary has not tended to the elimination of corruption or political machine rule and the selection of better representatives of a party.

"The standard of judges in those states where a general primary have notably and perceptibly become inferior to those who were selected under the old convention system," he declared.

Mr. Taft said he admitted that there were abuses under the convention system but even at that it is more preferable in many ways than a general primary. He also criticized the initiative, referendum and the recall, especially deploring the idea of the recall of judges.

In referring to the European war Mr. Taft said that it suggests the imagination in the loss of life and the destruction of hard earned capital. When it came it was such a shock and such a disappointment that those who hoped for human progress lost their faith.

"We find occasion for hope, however, from the various sufferings which when the war is over will prompt the adoption of some peaceable means of settling international disputes in order to prevent a recurrence of such an awful catastrophe."

Interest begins Saturday, Feb. 6, at the Central Savings bank.

**SUN FEATURES FRIDAY**

Helpful Suggestions to be Found in "What the French Mail Said"—Other Features

"The French Mail" tomorrow will give helpful suggestions regarding the selection of prizes for a card party. They may be easily made at home.

Choosing perfumes is the topic of "The Rabbit's Foot" and the "Sleepy-time Tale" will be "The Piggie's Foster Father."

Interesting news of suburban affairs will be printed in The Sun tomorrow.

Best printing: Tobin's, Asso. bldg.

# 12 TURKISH VESSELS SUNK BY RUSSIANS

PETROGRAD, Jan. 21.—The following communication from the army of the Caucasus has been given out: On Jan. 19 in the region of Halick, Ivazor and Kyagan we fought a series of combats with the Turkish rear guard, who retreated precipitately. We captured a great many prisoners and a Turkish camp.

On Jan. 18 we occupied Ardanoouh in Trans-Caucasia, near the Turkish border. A torpedo boat sent to inspect the Asia Minor coast sank 12 vessels with their cargoes near Archava.

## BERLIN PAPERS EXPRESS SATISFACTION AS RESULT OF AERIAL RAID

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—"The isolation of the British islands is conquered successfully," says the Morgenpost in its editorial on the recent air raid. "Of what use to Great Britain? It adds, 'are the surrounding seas and war vessels if our airships cross the water, dropping bombs?'"

The Tages Zeitung expresses satisfaction at the first air attack and hopes it will be followed by others while the Tageblatt says it is now clear that the North sea is no hindrance to German airships.

## EX-KHEDIVE OF EGYPT TO CONSULT SPECIALIST REGARDING BULLET WOUND

GENEVA, Jan. 21.—Ex-Khedive Abbas III of Egypt, according to Vienna dispatches, is going to Bern to consult a specialist regarding a bullet wound in the jaw, received in a recent attempt on his life at Constantinople. The despatches say that the wound has not healed and that it makes it impossible for him to head the army with which it is planned to invade Egypt at the present time.

## ANOTHER ZEPPELIN LEAVES FRIEDRICHSHAFEN TO REINFORCE FINNISH RAILROAD

GENEVA, Jan. 21.—Another Zeppelin after three days of trials left Friedrichshafen Wednesday afternoon in a northwesterly direction to reinforce the air fleet near Ghent.

It is reported here that the great rejoicings at Friedrichshafen over the arrival of the plan was known of in advance in certain quarters in Switzerland. It is declared, and warnings had even been sent to the British authorities, who are reported to have stated that they attached little importance to it.

The visit of the prince of Wales to Belfort has led to reports here that British troops would shortly be sent to Belfort to participate in any possible advance on the Rhine. The French advanced trenches according to reports received here are now only 16 miles from the Rhine.

## GERMAN AIRSHIPS ATTEMPT TO DESTROY BRIDGES OF NEW FINNISH RAILROAD

LONDON, Jan. 21.—A Stockholm despatch says that German airships have been reconnoitering the frontier between Sweden and Finland, evidently with the purpose of destroying the bridges of the new Finnish railroad, thus interrupting communication between Russia and Sweden.

## INHABITANTS OF BRUGES, BELGIUM SENTENCED TO 5 YEARS FOR CARRYING LETTERS

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21.—A despatch from Sluis, Holland, says that an inhabitant of Bruges, Belgium, has been sentenced to five years' imprisonment for carrying letters from Holland to Belgium.

## COMMANDER OF AUSTRIAN ARMY SAYS TROOPS ARE ANXIOUS TO FIGHT

VIENNA, Jan. 21.—Field Marshal Archduke Frederick, the cousin of Emperor Francis Joseph and commander of the Austrian army, has just returned from a visit to the troops of the first army. He states that he found conditions excellent and the soldiers impatient to begin a further offensive campaign.

## FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

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## INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

John Marshall, of the Hamilton Manufacturing company, is confined to his home with illness.

Thomas Clark of the Stirling mill has become a very active member of the Oxford club.

The employees of the Bon Marche company, will be next in line with their annual social and dance.

Charles A. Delaronde buyer for the A. G. Pollard Co. returned last night from a business trip to New York.

Robert Spelling, treasurer of the Saco-Lowell shops, has been elected to the board of directors of the Lancet cotton mills of West Point, Ga.

The painters' union will meet tonight in Carpenter's hall in the Runcles building. President George Finkel will preside.

Hugh Finnelly made a very efficient floor director at the A. G. Pollard employees' dancing party and ran everything off in a finished manner.

Organizer J. A. Mattle, of Worcester, will come to Lowell in a few weeks to take up organizing work for the local Carpenters' union. He will remain six or eight weeks.

Andrew Dwyer, of the Lamson Store Service company, has a new song to sing at the next rehearsal for the minstrel show. Be sure and hear it.

Patrick McGowan, of the Middlesex company, is likely to prove as good a bowler as he is a basketball player. Pat rolled three strings over 90 at a local alley last night.

Harry Dwyer, of the Saco-Lowell shops, and formerly a member of a long distance runner at the local high school is keeping in condition and will compete in many track events during the coming summer months.

The Tremont & Suffolk mills have now only 20,000 spindles idle, compared with toward 100,000 a week ago. The number has been gradually reduced and out of 227,000 spindles at the mill more than two-thirds are now in operation.

It is gratifying to note that the spirit of confidence is becoming more prevalent throughout the entire country. The restoration of confidence is practically complete and as one prominent man has said, "we are now ready for full steam ahead for 1915."

The dancing party conducted by the employees of the A. G. Pollard store at Associate hall last night was a delightful and highly enjoyable affair. Messrs. Arthur G. Pollard and Harry Dunlap were in attendance during the evening and their presence added materially to the enjoyment of the affair.

While an order has been received at the Saco-Lowell shops for the manufacture of machinery for the new Naumkeag steam cotton mills, the work to be done by this city will necessitate the employment of a few hundred men only. The rest of the plant will be run on the present curtailed basis.

The local unions will conduct many meetings during the winter months and prominent labor men from outside the city will be brought here to address the meetings. Nothing is more interesting or more instructive than a speech from an educated labor man, and many of these will favor the local unions with their presence during the next few months.

## Trades & Labor Council

The Trades & Labor council will hold an important meeting tonight in Trades & Labor hall in Middle street, and all delegates are requested to be in attendance. The matter of applying for \$1000 from the municipal council for a Labor day celebration will be discussed and action probably taken.

## Local 49, Carpenters Union

Next Tuesday night will be a big night for Carpenters union, local 49, when the delegates who have been busy sounding sentiment towards the organization of a Building Trades council will submit a report. Other important business will also come up for transaction.

## Steam and Operating Engineers

The Steam and Operating Engineers held their regular meeting in the union quarters in Central street last night with a very satisfactory attendance of members present. It was announced that Daniel Callahan had been chosen to the position of corresponding and recording secretary and that Elias Mooney had been elected secretary treasurer.

## Carpenters Union

The Carpenters union, local 1510, held its regular weekly meeting last night in Carpenter's hall in the Runcles building and transacted a great deal of routine business. Several committees submitted important reports and a stack of communications was read and referred to the secretary for proper disposal. The secretary's report showed

## Dame de Lorette, northwest of Arras, Germans who face Warsaw.

Heavy fighting on the roads to Thion and West Prussia.

## Austrian assault on Radloff, Western Galicia, beaten off.

Bellier in England that airships of Paraseval type made the raid in North and West Prussia.

## Archduke Charles Francis, Austrian heir apparent, to visit Emperor William at German headquarters.

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# ALLEGED MURDERER CAUGHT AFTER CHASE

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Failing to get from Emmanuel M. Papadakis, proprietor of the Norway cafe, 17 Norway street, Back Bay, money he said was due him, a man, who told the police he was S. Spirodaki, a cook, and lived at 18 Summer street, whipped a revolver from his pocket and the police say shot the restaurant man through the head in the little lunchroom yesterday afternoon.

## As the restaurant proprietor fell, clutching a tablecloth, and pulling plates and silverware to the floor with a crash, a small boy who was passing the cafe and saw the shooting, set up a scream. The assailant fired a second shot, which went wild, dropped his 32-calibre revolver into his pocket and fled from the store.

## The screams of the small boy attracted the attention of Alfred Barrett of 44 Falmouth street and Patrick A. O'Reilly of St. Germain street, who started in pursuit of Spirodaki. The latter ran down Norway street, across Falmouth and toward Huntington avenue. Others joined Barrett and O'Reilly in the chase.

## Near the corner of Huntington avenue Spirodaki drew his revolver, and wheeling, faced his pursuers. The foremost threw their hands over their heads, but did not give up the pursuit. Seeing that the crowd had no intention of letting him get away, the alleged murderer resumed running.

## In the meantime, someone had telephoned to the Back Bay police station on Boylston street, and the auto patrol was rushing to the scene at full speed. It turned into Huntington avenue right in back of the fugitive. Patrolman Stephen Flaherty leaped from the machine and darted after Spirodaki, literally driving the latter into the arms of Patrolman Arthur Smith, who was doing crossing duty at Cumberland street and Huntington avenue.

## Spirodaki was hooked at station 16 on a charge of murder.

The police ambulance took Papadakis to the City Hospital, where he died shortly after arriving, without making any statement. He was unable to speak, so could not identify Spirodaki, who was taken to the bedside by Patrolman Flaherty.

# HIGHLAND CLUB PARTY

## DELIGHTFUL WINTER, DANCANT CONDUCTED LAST EVENING FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

A very delightful winter dancant was held last night at the Highland club, under the auspices of the directors and attended by club members and their friends. As is usual in club affairs, a spirit of the utmost informality prevailed and though dancing was not over until 2 a. m. the 75 couples present stayed until the last strains of the dance music died down. The affair was one of the most enjoyable and successful ever conducted by the club, and the members are eagerly looking forward to another dancing party run on the same lines.

The gowns of the ladies were notable for beauty and variety and the scene during the dancing was delightfully animated.

Music for the dances was supplied by the famous orchestra of the Fero-croft Inn. So enjoyable were the numbers that though it had been announced that only one encore would be played the dancers frequently were so insistent that the orchestra was forced to acquiesce. During intermission a buffet luncheon and ices were served in the upstairs hall.

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Misses' and Ladies' \$15 Coats. To close \$5.00

\$18.50 and \$22.50 Winter Suits. To close at \$7.50

Children's \$5.00 Coats. To close... \$2.98

Children's \$7.50 Coats. To close... \$5.00

\$7.50 Separate Skirts. To close... \$5.00

\$5.00 Separate Skirts. To close... \$3.98

Children's \$1.50 Separate Muffs. To close 50c

\$1.50 and \$1.98 House Dresses. To close 98c

\$1.98 Lingerie Waists. To close... 98c

98c Lingerie Waists. To close... 69c

\$7.50 and \$5.00 Bath Robes. To close \$3.98

\$7.50 and \$10 Serge Dresses. To close \$5.00

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THAW WILL SLEEP IN  
TOMBS PRISON SUNDAY

FIERCE FIGHTING ALONG  
FRANCO-BELGIAN FRONT

POLICE COURT SESSION  
HELD AT TEWKSBURY

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Harry Thaw will sleep in the Tombs prison next Sunday night not far from the cell he occupied when first arrested for the murder of Stanford White in June, 1906. Such is the plan of William Travers Jerome, who announced today that he had decided to go to New Hampshire personally to bring Thaw back.

Mr. Jerome said he would leave this city tomorrow night for Washington and from Washington would go to New Hampshire, returning here Sunday with Thaw. He did not say why he expected to go to Washington. Before making this announcement, Mr. Jerome had a long talk with District Attorney Perkins in which was discussed the indictment charging Thaw with conspiracy in the alleged plot which resulted in his escape from the Matteawan asylum in August, 1913.

**FORMALITY OF TRANSFER**

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 21.—By arrangement between court and counsel, the formality of transferring Harry Thaw from the custody of the United States court to the jurisdiction of the state of New York will occur in the chambers of the United States district court for the district of New Hampshire on Saturday at 11 a. m.

**CHICAGO, Jan. 21.**—The player's contract was called a mere scrap of paper by Kenne Addington, the Federal league's chief counsel, resuming his argument before Judge Landis today in the anti-trust suit against organized baseball.

Mr. Addington declared there was no real modification of relations between clubs and players, despite changes in the option section of contracts and the elimination from some of the ten day clauses which have been made within the last year or two.

"The contracts were changed, but the national agreement and the practices under which organized baseball conducts its business were not," he declared. "The contract is designed for use in court, the national agreement and the rules of the national commission still govern the game."

Mr. Addington quoting portions of the opinion in which Federal Judge Bissell of Grand Rapids dissolving the Chicago Americans injunction against Hal Chase brought out the fact that a player under the national agreement has no real choice regarding salaries and homes and cited authorities to emphasize the right to labor.

There was a falling off in attendance today. Not only were many fans

who yesterday jammed the courtroom and the corridors absent, but the assemblage of magnates was notably less.

Representatives of organized baseball were still hopeful that both sides would have presented their case by the end of the week.

Discussion of the question of the jurisdiction of the federal court, an angle which was injected into the case before the opening of argument, dropped up again today.

The point was raised by Judge Landis, who asked Mr. Addington to explain more in detail the position of the Federal league on the jurisdiction ground. The attorney declared that the national commission and the other defendants having accepted service though residing in other states had voluntarily relinquished all right to question the full jurisdiction of the United States district court, and on that understanding the appearance of the several constituent clubs of the federal league had been filed in the case bringing all parties before the court.

George W. Miller in filing the acceptance of service by all the defendants said it was possible that the federal statutes might make it impossible for his waiver to bear all question of jurisdiction.

**DEFYING WORLD**

**Sen. Weeks Says That We are Shipping More Than Ever Before**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Senator Weeks, speaking in opposition to the government ship purchase bill in the senate today assailed the proposal to place cabinet officers on the proposed shipping board. Examination of the qualifications of secretaries of the treasury or navy during the last decade, he said, showed them little prepared by experience for such work.

To emphasize his argument that there was no need for the bill, he said \$4,000,000 bushels more of wheat had been exported from the last harvest than were exported last year.

"We are defying the world by shipping more than ever before," said he.

**VICTIM OF SHOOTING**

ROOSEVELT, N. J., Jan. 21.—Carman Patti, a striker who was wounded in the riot at the American Agricultural Chemical company, died today at the Elizabeth hospital, making the second fatality as a result of the shooting.

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A series of battles is in progress along the Franco-Belgian battlefield but only comparatively small numbers of troops are engaged and no general movements are apparent. Calm prevails in the Soissons region, the Germans thus far having made no attempt to extend their victory there.

**Germany Driven From Trenches**

Today's official statement from Berlin describes the repulse of French attacks at various points along the front and asserts that slight advances were made by the Germans in some cases. Near Notre Dame De Lorette, however, they were driven from trenches.

**German Claims Victory**

A German victory in a small battle in East Prussia is announced in Berlin. German reconnoitering forces have appeared northwest of Warsaw in the rear of the Russian army which is advancing toward the Prussian border.

**Turks Suffer Heavy Losses**

Russian accounts of the war with Turkey make it appear that resistance of the Ottoman troops has virtually collapsed. An official statement today from the Russian staff of the Caucasian army says that further defeats have been inflicted on the Turkish troops in a series of rear guard actions and that the Turks after suffering heavy losses are retreating precipitately.

The statement announces the capture of a Trans-Caucasian town near the Turkish border. It is also said that a Russian warship sank twelve vessels off the coast of Asia Minor.

**Austrian Shell Monteignans**

Fighting between Austrians and Monteignans which has been almost at a standstill on account of the winter weather and heavy snow has been renewed across the border from Cattaro. The Austrians bombarded Monteignans positions but it is said at Cetinje that no damage was inflicted.

**Alles Push On to Rhine**

The allies now have their eyes on the Rhine and British troops may be sent to Belfort in eastern France to take part in any possible advance toward the river says a Geneva report which lacks verification. It is stated that the advance French trenches are within 16 miles of the Rhine.

**Russian Three-Fold Assault On Germans Successful In North And South**

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Russian three-fold assault on the German allies in the opinion of British observers of the war has shown its steamroller characteristics alike in the north and the south.

In the north the advance in East Prussia is reported as threatening the German lines of communication and in Poland the French warfare continues with small results for either side but the Russians confidently dwell on what they call large German losses in which won't hold present positions. In the south, the Russians declare, the Austrian resistance seems to have been broken down entirely and that Transylvania lies open to them.

**French Gain Ground**

Official Statement Under Caption of "The War From Nov. 15 to Jan. 15" Says Germans Have Gone Back Everywhere

PARIS, Jan. 21.—There was given out this afternoon an official statement under the caption: "The war from Nov. 15 to Jan. 15," reading as follows:

"Since the 15th of November, in other words since the conclusion of the battle of Ypres and up to the complete resumption of the great offensive movement against our left wing, the war has taken the character of a struggle in which the advantages obtained by one side or the other virtually offset each other, but in this case it can be said that with one exception we alone have gained ground. With this one exception, the Germans everywhere have gone back.

The following recital of points gained makes it possible to get an idea of the progress on either side:

**Successes By Germans**

"By the Germans: Destruction of the market of the cathedral and the hospital of Ypres; destruction of the town of Neuport and of the Neuport baths and the bombardment of Arras; bombardment of Souper and of Soissons; recapture of hill 132 and of an eminence near Crouy and a gain of from 1200 to 1800 yards to the north of Soissons; advance of 300 metres in the Argonne along a front of 500 metres at a point near the Brook De Mucris; bombardment of a church at Nancy and of the hospital at Thann.

Results attained by the French:

From the sea to the Yser: Recapture of all the left bank of the Yser between Knoch and Pethas and an opening on the right bank between the sea and St. Georges. The installation of a bridge head four kilometers into the Argonne along a front of 500 metres and the capture of the bridgehead of a bridge head to the south of Dinard; capture of St. Georges; the general extension of our front around Ypres; the success of Wybedrett and the cessation of the attacks of the enemy's infantry.

From the Yser to the Oise: The capture of the chateau and of the village of Vermilles; the capture of numerous German trenches between Aynoulette and Carancy; the partial recapture of Saint Laurent and of Blangy near Arras; the capture of La Boiselle; the capture of German trenches at Lihons; the capture of Quenoy; En-Santerre, the end of October and progress to the east followed by the general extension and consolidation of our front.

From the Oise to Rheims: The capture of the German trenches at Nanpoule and of the plateau of Noubrou; the taking of spit number 122 and of the eminence at Crouy, both of which, however, we lost again; the destruction of a number of pieces of German artillery; the reduction of four-fifths of our previous percentage of infantry losses, thanks to the greater efficiency of our artillery and the consolidation of our defensive system.

**Important Advance**

From the Meuse to the Swiss frontier: Important advances in the forest of Convoisy in the forest of Aumont in the forest of Ally in the forest of Montmarie and in the forest of Le Pre

**Funerals**

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**Humanity To Protect Interests**

Reports of Rumania's long-awaited entrance into the fight continue to circulate; one rumor today has it, however, that Rumania will not immediately declare war but that she will throw troops into Transylvania, which is Hungarian territory, for the purpose of protecting Rumanian nationals.

In the meanwhile German official utterances continue optimistic. The communications given out every day say that the situation in the eastern theatre of the war remains unchanged. Certain semi-official summaries of events received in London by wireless from Berlin are somewhat more communicative. Such a message received recently says the Russians have had some successes in which their losses were heavy and that the Turks have been operating successfully in the Caucasus and now are marching on Egypt.

**Campaign Against Russia**

Telegrams reaching here from Berlin record the arrival there of Archduke Charles Francis, the Austrian crown prince, and Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, who are to be joined shortly by Baron Gurnat, the new Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, presumably for a conference regarding a plan of campaign against Russia, as well as the adoption of suitable measures against the prospective entrance into the war of Italy and Roumania.

**Local Session**

Albert J. Moge was charged this morning with making a felonious attack upon 14-year-old Marie Josephine Angel Brenell. His case was continued until Jan. 25, while his bail was fixed at \$2000.

Two women were haled into court today on charges against their respective moral characters. One of the accused appeared on the warrant as "Black Diamond," real name of the defendant unknown. "Black Diamond" was very profuse in her protestations to the interpreter and talked continually while the police machine was grinding out its grim evidence.

Officers Clark, Hamilton, Gilmore, Cullen and Noonan wove the web which finally convinced Judge Enright that the complaint had been substantiated. "Black Diamond" was found guilty and ordered to the house of correction for the next six months.

Catherine A. Connors was the other girl. Officers Clark, Hamilton, Captain Atkinson and Cullen were the witnesses for the prosecution, while J. J. O'Connor defended the girl.

Officer Clark was on the stand for nearly an hour. His testimony related in the dates circumstances, etc., surrounding his observations of the defendant. He was cross examined at

great length by Mr. O'Connor. The other officers corroborated most of the testimony given by Officer Clark.

Alfred Baum, the young man from Kansas who was arrested some time ago for passing worthless checks in the D. L. Page company restaurant, came up for trial this morning before Judge Enright in the local police court and no defence was put in by his attorney, Warren W. Fox.

Baum was charged with larceny in two counts, a check for \$5 and another for \$10 proving worthless. Judge Enright found him guilty on both counts and sentenced him to the house of correction for three months.

**Perry Court Party**

The Perry court party, which was interrupted last night by the unplanned entrance of a number of police officers, was settled in police court today. James L. Wentworth, Robert Willis, Albert H. Richardson and Mary Wood all pleaded guilty to drunkenness in her case.

Richardson was charged with assault upon Jennie Wood, mother of Mary, and he and Mary were also accused of living together as man and wife. Both of them pleaded not guilty to these complaints.

The officers related to the court the existing conditions in the Wood household where Richardson has made his headquarters for some time, and the mother of the Wood girl presented her countenance as evidence in the assault case. It was quite evident that something solid had come in contact with her cheek.

The pair, said they had previously lived in Philadelphia as man and wife and that they also had told Officers Brewett, Kilroy and Dooley that they were married. The evidence in this case occupied some time.

The court finally found both man and woman guilty and imposed a sentence of six months upon each. Richardson was ordered to the house of correction while the woman was turned over to Sheriff Evelett. Both defendants entered an appeal.

Wentworth and Willis were first offenders and Richardson and Mary Wood both cases on file with an admonition to stay within the law in the future.

**NEW YORK, Jan. 21.**—Taxation of large fortunes upon the death of their owners to aid the poor, the establishment of government agencies to find work for the unemployed and provision for the comfort of aged workers were advocated by Daniel Guggenheim, president of the American Smelting and Refining Co. in testimony at the inquiry by the federal commission on industrial relations into the great philanthropic foundations and the cause of industrial unrest.

Mr. Guggenheim said that as a capitalist he favored these measures, despite the fact that they constitute some of the cardinal ideas of socialism.

He also advocated "industrial democracy" wherein the worker received a portion of the profit derived from his labor.

Industrial unrest was caused to a great extent, the witness believed, by the increased cost of living. In his opinion the philanthropic organizations did not effect much relief from poverty as the average worker was reluctant to accept charity and preferred employment.

E. J. Berwind, owner of coal mines and connected with many coal mining corporations, testified that he believed directors and stockholders were not as well acquainted with labor conditions as they should be.

**FUNDS FOR WAR VICTIMS**

LOCAL HEBREWS HAVE RAISED MONEY FOR SUFFERERS IN PALESTINE

The Hebrew residents of this city have collected funds for the relief of the Hebrew war sufferers in Palestine and recently forwarded a check to the amount of \$104.15 to the B. Manischewitz Co. of New York. The letter of acknowledgment is as follows:

"Rabbi E. Wolfson, 116 Howard street, Lowell, Mass.

"Dear Sir: We are in receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. with enclosed check for \$104.15 for the benefit of buying flour for our brethren in Palestine, and wish to thank you very kindly for your donation.

"Thanking you once more in behalf of those who will be benefited by your splendid contribution and wishing you success, we remain,

"Respectfully yours,

"The B. Manischewitz Co."

**MISS SKILTON GUARDIAN**

Miss Emily M. Skilton, of this city, was appointed guardian of Phyllis Lawrence, of Lawrence, by Judge Dow, in the probate court at Salem this week.

Broderick's fire dance. Butlers, Fri.

**ACCIDENT TO CABLE**

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Communication between New York and cities in Central and South America by cable lines with South and Central American countries was broken off today through an accident to the cable at Sandy Hook.

**JUSTICE HOLLENBECK DEAD**

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 21.—Chief Justice Hollenbeck of the Nebraska supreme court died here today.

**NATURALIZATION PAPERS**

Clerk Dillingham of the superior court will complete the present naturalization session this evening. The session was commenced Monday morning. Second papers were completed at noon today and the total number of second papers taken out was 78. The afternoon was devoted to first papers.

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**EDITOR IN COURT**

I. W. W. Leader Held in \$5000 for the Grand Jury

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., Jan. 21.—Joseph J. Ettor, I. W. W. leader, who has been in jail here awaiting a hearing on the charge of treason was arraigned today before Mayor Davis. He entered a plea of not guilty and was bound over to the grand jury. Ettor gave bail for \$5000 and immediately left town with his attorney after agreeing not to enter Belmont county again or to send any of his representatives here.

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**Matrimonial**

At 1:30 o'clock this afternoon the marriage of Louis Lebouard and Miss Marie Jubinville took place at St. Joseph's rectory, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Charles Denzot, O. M. I. The witnesses were Emile Lebouard and Pierre Jubinville, respective fathers of the bride and bridegroom. At the close of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride, 107 Salem street, where a wedding supper was served. This evening a reception will be held at the same address. The couple will leave tonight for Boston and other centres of New England and upon their return to this city they will make their home in White street.

**EMBEZZLEMENT**

Exceptions to Finding By Master in 'Cambridge Bank Case Filed By Receiver

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—More than 100 exceptions to the finding by a master that the directors of the National City bank of Cambridge were not responsible for the embezzlement of \$200,000 by George W. Coleman, the bookkeeper, were filed by Receiver John L. Bates in the federal court today.

**CONCESSION OF HUMAN**

A boy named Fred Hall fell on the ice while skating on the Merrimack river opposite the pumping station late this afternoon and received severe injuries about the head. He was removed in the ambulance to his home, 70 Austin street. It is feared that the young man is suffering from a slight concussion of the brain.

**FIRE ON FULTON STREET**

A small fire at 51 Fulton street, called the firemen out when box 62 sounded this morning shortly before nine o'clock. The kitchen of the house caught fire from some unknown cause and considerable damage was done before the flames were extinguished.

The firemen succeeded in keeping the blaze within the confines of the ell portion of the building, however, and after a few minutes of strenuous work had it under control.

**WATERVILLE, ME., MAN ARRESTED ON COMPLAINT OF 18-YEAR-OLD WIFE**

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 21.—Charged with transporting his 18-year-old wife from city to city in Maine and New Hampshire for immoral purposes against her will since their marriage at Augusta last June, Thomas Garvin was arrested at his home in Waterville today by federal officials. The complaint was made by his wife, who recently was released from the Portland house of correction after serving a month's sentence.

Fred Spaulding of Lewiston also was arrested for alleged violation of the "white slave" act. It was alleged he took a 15-year-old Lewiston girl to various places in Maine and New Hampshire for immoral purposes. He was held for the federal grand jury. (Rt. (oksgyrfum) Pessnabp)

**COTTON AND WOOL FOR BREMEN**

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—With every bale subjected to an X-ray test the steamship Luckenbach began loading cotton and wool today for Bremen. Representatives of the British consulate and United States customs officials were present and before the cargo was stowed the latter made a careful examination of the hold for contraband articles.

The many friends of J. Victor Carey, the popular assistant manager of the J. F. Saunders market, who for the past two weeks has been dangerously ill with double pneumonia, will be pleased to learn that he has passed the danger mark and is now on the road to recovery.

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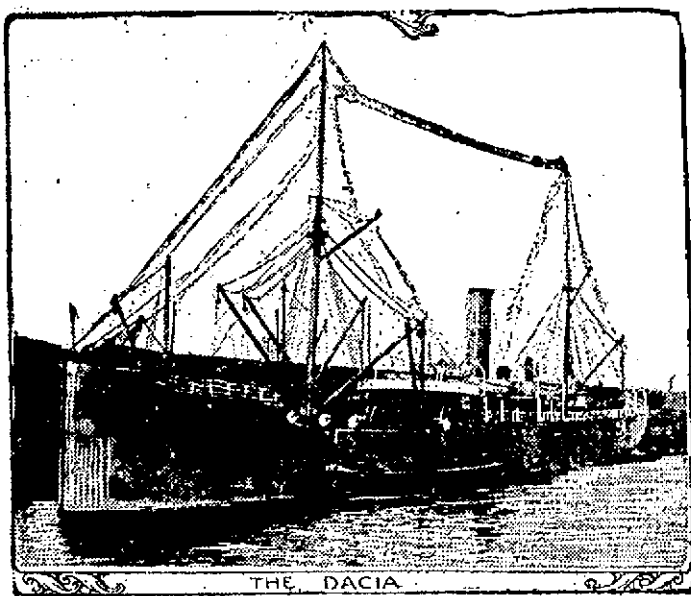
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## CASE OF DACIA HAS BEARING ON AMERICAN SHIPS ACQUIRED SINCE WAR



WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Notice of Great Britain's refusal to grant a request of the United States government that the former German steamer Dacia be permitted to carry a cargo of cotton for Germany to Rotterdam without molestation was received at the state department. At the same time dispatches from Galveston said that the Dacia had nearly finished taking on her cargo of cotton and was preparing to sail for Rotterdam. The British government declares it could not consent to waive any of its rights in the case of the Dacia and assigned as one of the reasons for its position the fact that such action might constitute a precedent which would be invoked to the prejudice of the British position in regard to enemy ships transferred to neutral registry during the war. Notice of England's reply was sent by the department to Edward N. Breitung, the purchaser of the Dacia, who is in New York. Contracts have been made for the Dacia to deliver her cotton cargo at Bremen and the ship was to have sailed from Galveston not later than Jan. 3. She was detained, however, pending receipt of the British answer to the state department's request that she be permitted to make the one voyage to Rotterdam without prejudice to the case of either country should her status ever be contested. It is said that the freight charges on the Dacia's present cargo amount to nearly as much as was paid for the vessel when she was purchased from the Hamburg-American line. The cotton on board of her would not be treated as contraband if the British should seize her, as is expected. Thus neither the owner of the vessel nor the cotton shippers apparently stand to lose any more by venturing the trip than by defaulting on existing contracts. Should it be decided to send the Dacia to sea the case will be watched here with the keenest interest and a decision in the case will probably be of great significance with regard to the proposal of the administration to buy German and Austrian ships now confined to American ports and operate them as a government owned steamship line.

## KILLED BROTHER

Dorchester Boy Slain in Row Over Spot on Tablecloth

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Just because of a spot on the table cloth, William Paul Murphy, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Murphy of 8 Grant St., Dorchester, lies dead and his younger brother, John H. Murphy, Jr., not yet 14 years old, is held by the Dorchester police accused of causing the death.

William was stabbed to the heart by a jackknife in the hand of John in a family dinner at 630 last evening and in a very few minutes was dead. John and his parents declare that the stroke was accidental.

The brothers were two of a family of eight children. Six of them with their mother—the father not having yet come home—were seated at the dinner table about 6:30 last evening. One dish was hamburger steak, and John, the last to reach the table, reached across for the platter.

As he pulled the platter toward him, he spilled some of the gravy on the white cloth. The older brother, according to the mother's statement, was irritated at this. "Now, mother," he complained, "looked what John has done. He has spilled gravy all over your nice clean cloth."

John then bristled up and reminded his brother that spot or no spot, it was none of his business, and William, strong in the authority of his seniority, said curtly that he would make it his business, and would "show him." John invited him to come and try it.

The boys had been sitting on opposite sides of the table. William rose and went around to John, who had also risen, and the two boys grappled. In spite of the fact that William was a head taller, he found the younger brother able to give him a hard battle, and the boys, tightly locked, swung back and forth, always edging toward the door into the entry. The mother, although supposing they were only fooling, bade them repeatedly to stop it and sit down.

Still struggling and scuffling, the boys passed out of sight around the partly opened door, which led into the dark entry hall. What happened there after is known only from John's excited story, as told first to his parents and afterward to the police.

He had had the worse of the fight and was tired of it. From his pocket he drew a jackknife and opened it. "If you come near me," he warned his brother, "you'll get it!"

It is probable that in the darkness

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Pork Loin, lb. 12½c  
Pork Shoulders, lb. 12½c  
Whole Loin Pork, lb. 12½c  
Leaf Lard, lb. 12½c  
Smoked Shoulders, lb. 12½c  
Sweet Pickled Shoulders, lb. 12½c  
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Oranges, doz. 10c, 15c, 20c  
Lemons, doz. 8c  
Malaga Grapes, lb. 10c  
Grapefruit, 3 for 5c  
Bananas, doz. 12c

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## Vegetables

Potatoes, pk. 12½c  
15c Peck Delivered  
\$1.15 Bag Delivered  
California Celery 12c  
New Cabbage, lb. 1½c  
Red Cabbage, lb. 2c  
Carrots 3 for 5c  
Parsnips 3 lbs. 10c  
Kale, pk. 12c  
Spinach, pk. 15c  
Onions, pk. 20c  
Red Onions 2 lbs. for 5c  
Spanish Onions, lb. 5c  
Onions, 2-Bushel Bag \$1.75  
White Turnips 3 lbs. for 5c  
Yellow Turnips, lb. 1c  
Turnips, 2-Bushel Bag \$1.00  
Apples, pk. 15c  
Beets 3 lbs. for 5c  
Fancy Lettuce 5c  
Squash, lb. 1½c  
Radishes 3 for 10c  
Jumbo Cranberries 4c qt., 3 qts. 10c

Saur Kraut, lb. 5c  
Whole Pickles, qt. 10c  
Queen Olives, pint 15c

## MEATS

Fores Lamb, lb. 12c  
Fores Yearlings, lb. 10c  
Legs Lamb, lb. 15c up  
Lamb Chops, lb. 15c up  
Whole Sirloin Roast, tip end, lb. 14c  
Roast Beef, 4-rib cut, lb. 14c  
Chuck Roast Beef, lb. 10c up  
Prime Roast Beef, lb. 16c  
All Round Steak, lb. 18c  
Top Round Steak, lb. 20c  
Best Sirloin Steak, lb. 25c  
Sirloin Steak, lb. 20c  
Best Rump Steak, lb. 25c  
Porterhouse Steak, lb. 30c  
Pig Ham, lb. 14c  
Smoked Shoulders, lb. 12½c  
Sweet Pickled Shoulders, lb. 12½c  
Fresh and Pickled Beef Tongue, always in stock, lb. 14c  
Whole Smoked Hams, lb. 15c up  
Sweet Pickled Hams, lb. 13c  
Fancy Corned Beef, lb. 10c up  
Fancy Spare Ribs, lb. 10c  
Pickled Pigs' Feet, lb. 8c  
Salt Pork, lb. 13c  
Fresh Pigs' Feet 6c  
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Fresh Halibut, 12½c lb.  
Sword Fish - 12½c lb.  
Cod, lb. 6c  
Large Mackerel 10c  
Extra Large Mackerel 20c, 25c  
Haddock, lb. 6c  
Fresh Herring lb. 6c  
Salt Herring 4c, 3 for 10c  
Steak Cod, lb. 10c  
Fish Trimmings for Chowder, lb. 5c  
Butterfish, lb. 8c  
Pollock, lb. 5c  
Finnan Haddie, lb. 8c  
Oysters, qt. 35c  
Clams, qt. 25c  
Salt Fish, 1 lb. pkg. 7c  
Shredded Fish, pkg. 5c  
Best Fish Cakes, 1 lb. pkg. 14c

Mustard, glass 5c  
Colombia Beans 5c  
Red Letter Soup 5c  
Pinnacle Chow-Chow, 9c; 3 for 25c  
Shawmut Jam, Special, 9c; 3 for 25c  
Red Beans, qt. 8c  
Pure Fruit Jelly 12c  
Strawberries 5c

## BIGELOW CARPET CO.

## GENERAL MANAGER OF HARTFORD PLANT ASSESSORS IN ARRIVING AT PROPER VALUATION

The valuation of the property of the Hartford Carpet corporation, now a part of the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet company, is placed by the Hartford tax assessors this year at \$2,123,897.

This is somewhat larger than the company's assessment last year, when the property was valued at \$2,057,550. It is understood that General Manager Alvin D. Higgins, of the Hartford Carpet corporation, assisted the assessors in arriving at a proper valuation for the plant. During the week Mr. Higgins attended a session of the board, and after learning that it had made a general increase on the other property in town of about 8½ per cent, without further comment authorized an addition of that amount to the list of the corporation, which meant an increase of more than \$168,000 to the corporation's list. While some corporations have argued for a reduction in taxes during the last year, the action of Mr. Higgins in voluntarily adding such a large sum to the list of the corporation is notable.

## LARGE FORCED LOANS

SECURED FROM AMERICANS IN VERA CRUZ BY ZAPATA—OTHER MEXICAN NEWS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Carranza agency here issued the following today: "Vera Cruz says that reports from Mexico City states that before leaving there Emiliano Zapata secured large forced loans from American merchants and private citizens. From El Paso it is reported that Generals Flores and Mestas, commanding 1,000 men, have invaded Sonora and are in the vicinity of Navajo in the southeastern part of the state. General Luis Perreza and Juan Canascho have invaded territory around Tepic with 3,000 men."

## AN ANNEXATION MEETING

LARGE ATTENDANCE EXPECTED AT MEETING IN McMANNON'S WORKSHOP TONIGHT

As previously announced in The Sun a meeting of the members of the District Nine Improvement association and all residents of Esplanade, Kenwood, Brookside and Belle Grove will be held this evening in the workshop of James J. McMannon, the florist in Merrimack avenue, and it is hoped all parties interested in the annexation movement will make it their duty to be present for matters of vital importance to all residents of the district will be brought up for discussion.

The committee appointed to outline the proposed district to be annexed will be present and submit a report of its work, while it is expected several residents of the Navy Yard district, who are taking particular interest in the annexation movement will also be in attendance. The meeting will be capped by a social and seating accommodations will be provided for all who will be present. The members of the association hope all the men folks of the district will make it their business to be present at the meeting whether in favor or opposed to the movement.

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Clothes Pins, 3 doz. 5c  
Pure Cider Vinegar, large bottle 8c  
Plymouth Rock Coffee Gelatine 9c  
Fancy Boneless Pigs Feet, jar 9c  
Heinz Apple Butter 9c, 3 for 25c  
New Fresh Prunes 7c lb., 4 lbs. 25c  
Armour's Chicken Tamale, can 5c  
Sunkist Asparagus Tips 20c  
Cameo Washing Compound, cake 7c  
Hardwood Toothpicks 2 for 5c  
Pickled Beets, bottle 6c  
Pickled Red Cabbage, bottle 6c  
Royal Dutch Mustard 9c  
Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, lb. 15c  
Sunkist Seeded Raisins 9c  
Hecker's Cream Hominy 9c  
The Famous Berwick Cake is now in.  
Plain, Cherry, Fruit, Raisin, Walnut, Citron and Oriental, all fresh, pound 16c and 18c  
Sunshine Mixed Cookies, 9c lb, 3 for 25c  
Takhomas 4c pkg., 45c doz.  
Old Fashioned Chocolates, lb. 17c  
Martinique Chocolate Cherries, 1 lb. boxes. Special price 33c  
New Dates 9c pkg., 3 for 25c  
Remmer's Bath Tablets, cake 8c

## Butter & Eggs

Fancy Fresh Eggs 26c, 28c and 30c doz.

Best Carton Egg on Market. Guarantee every egg.

Banner Brand Eggs (in cartons) 29c doz.



Fine Ceylon Tea, lb. 25c  
Good Oolong Tea, lb. 25c  
English Breakfast Tea, lb. 25c  
Saunders' Best (a 30c Coffee), lb. 25c  
Best Santos Coffee, lb. 20c  
Quality Cocoa, pure lb. 23c, 1-2 lb. 12c, 1-4 lb. 6c  
Postum Cereal, 25c pkg. 21c  
Campbell's Soups, Tomato, Vegetable and Chicken 7 1-2c  
Pink Salmon, can 8c  
Compound Lard, lb. 11c  
Fine Quality Butterine, lb. 15c  
Saunders' Gelatine 5c  
Snider's Ketchup, pints 16c  
Blue Label Ketchup 20c  
Full Cream Cheese, lb. 19c  
Roquefort Cheese, lb. 40c  
Sunshine Butterthins, lb. 12 1-2c  
Sunshine Coconut Crisps, lb. 12 1-2c  
Sunshine Fancy Mixed Cakes 9c lb, 3 lbs. for 25c  
Chocolate Hydrox, lb. 34c  
Imported Smyrna Pulled Figs, lb. 18c  
Heckman's Dutch Cookies, 10c pkgs. 5c  
Shredded Wheat 11c

## PURE LARD

3's, 5's, 10's, 20's, lb. 13c  
50's, lb. 12½c

## COMPOUND LARD

3's, 5's, 10's, 20's, lb. 10c  
50's, lb. 8½c

Heinz Mince Meat, large jar 45c  
New Pack Seed Raisins, pkg. 9c  
None Such Mince Meat, pkg. 8c  
Sunbeam Mince Meat, pkg. 6c  
Snider's Pork and Beans, can 11c  
Campbell's Pork and Beans 9c, 3 for 25c  
Heinz Italian Spaghetti 13c  
Compound Extract Raspberry, bot. 5c  
Compound Extract Strawberry, bot. 5c  
Heinz Preserves, all flavors 22c  
Sydney Toilet Soap 7 for 25c  
Milady Toilet Soap 7 for 25c  
Swift's Pride Soap 9 for 25c  
Fruit-o-Jell, pkg. 5c  
Dillon Corn Syrup, bot. 7c  
Pure Castor Oil 2 bottles for 5c  
Pickled Red Cabbage, bot. 5c  
Export Borax Soap 7 for 25c  
Snap Soap 14 for 25c  
Bon Ami 8c

## FLOUR

All leading brands of best bread flour

Cotton, bbl \$7.00  
Wood, bbl \$7.25  
Bag 90c  
Best Pastry Flour, bag 80c

## SALEM OFFICIAL ENDS LIFE

THOMAS J. LALLY, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH, A SUICIDE-VESTIGATION

LYNN, Jan. 21.—Thomas J. Lally, director of public health at Salem, committed suicide at a hotel here today. A local committee had just begun an investigation of Lally's administration of the health department.

Just before ending his life Lally paid premium bills and his life insurance company and purchased a revolver. His last official act was to appoint a health board of three members in succession to a board which he had removed from office ten days ago. Lally had been prominent in Salem politics and was elected director of public health in December, 1913, beginning a three years' term the following month. He leaves a wife, two daughters and two sons.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

## J. F. FITZGERALD ACCEPTS

EX-MAYOR OF BOSTON TO BECOME PRESIDENT OF NEW ENGLAND SECURITIES COMPANY

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald last evening announced his intention of retiring from the clothing business in order to accept the presidency of the New England Securities company, an organization

formed with the idea of promoting the industrial and commercial development of New England, a subject which has long been dear to the heart of the former mayor. Mr. Fitzgerald explained last evening that his decision to retire from the clothing business had to be made at very short notice as he was given only 48 hours in which to accept the new position. He has transferred his stock in the clothing business to the Kennedy company.

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MANAGER OF COLUMBUS TEAM COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 21.—Rudolph Hulsch, manager of the Jersey City club of the International league, today was named manager of the Columbus team of the American association.

ANNIVERSARY OF PEACE WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—A gold medal commemorating the anniversary of peace between Great Britain and the United States was presented to President Wilson today by Assistant Secretary Peters of the treasury department on behalf of the Louisiana Historical Association.



## VOTING FRAUD CHARGES

GOVERNMENTAL INVESTIGATION  
IS PROMISED IN VERMONT—WILL  
NOT AFFECT GOVERNOR



GOV. CHARLES W. GATES

MONTPELIER, Vt., Jan. 21.—Charles W. Gates is the new republican governor of this state. Vermont, one of the six little states in the Union, continues in the republican column again, Gates having succeeded Gov. Fletcher, republican. On top of the republican victory there comes charges of illegal voting and governmental investigation is promised. Fraud in Illinois resulted in wholesale arrests, and similar results may ensue in Vermont if the charges develop as promised. It is not claimed that the alleged illegal voting will affect Gov. Gates. His victory was clean cut.

## HOMES OF WOMEN WRECKED BY THE INVADERS

Women Deserve a Better Fate.

American women are better off than their European sisters in most respects. Our American girls, however, are of highly nervous organization and usually suffer from troubles peculiar to their sex.

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, when women pass through the changes of middle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances. At these critical times women are best fortified by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, an old remedy of proved worth that keeps the entire female system perfectly regulated and in excellent condition.

Mothers, if your daughters are weak, lack ambition, are troubled with headaches, lassitude and are pale and sickly, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is just what they need to surely bring the bloom of health to their cheeks and make them strong and healthy.

For all diseases peculiar to woman, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a powerful restorative. During the last 40 years it has banished from the lives of tens of thousands of women the pain, worry, misery and distress caused by irregularities and diseases of a feminine character.

If you are a sufferer, if your daughter, mother, sister needs help, get Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in liquid or tablet form at any medicine dealer today. Then address Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and you will receive confidential advice from a staff of specialists that will not cost you a penny. Today is the day; 135 page book on women's diseases sent free.

amount of wages paid is \$351,299.706. Insurance companies have paid out in benefits to injured employees since the workmen's compensation act became effective the sum of \$3,576,902 of which \$1,677,330 was paid during the first year and the balance, \$2,299,522 was paid during the past year.

"During the year, there were 95,963 non-fatal and 603 fatal injuries," the report says, "as against 89,694 non-fatal and 474 fatal cases during the preceding year. The sex distribution of the injuries shows that 87,816 men and 8087 women were hurt, and 602 men and six women killed. The increase in the percentage of accidents to the number of employees is alarmingly high and is undoubtedly due to the failure of employers to take greater interest in the safety work which the industrial accident board is fostering.

"A greater percentage of employees are covered by insurance than formerly. 87 per cent. of those filing reports of non-fatal injuries with the board stating that they were insured more than 50,000 municipal and state employees have been covered under the statute during the past year. About 300,000 employees are now insured in Massachusetts.

The aggregate number of days lost as a result of industrial accidents during the past year was 1,197,737. This sum, added to the days lost during the first year of the law, makes a total of 2,354,524 days, or about 7850 working years, as a result of industrial injuries in Massachusetts since the act went into effect. Taking the days lost as a basis, an army of 3992 employees were constantly disabled for a full year. The wage loss as a result of this disablement last year was \$3,172,440, an increase of \$207,215 over the past year, or an additional loss of \$700 daily.

The report shows that nearly all the employees injured were those receiving very small wages. Not a single fatal injury of an employee earning \$25 a week or more has been reported in Massachusetts.

## NOW IN SUN BUILDING

HAROLD A. VARNUM AND RICHARD BRABROOK WALSH OPEN NEW LAW OFFICES

Friends of Messrs. Richard Brabrook Walsh and Harold A. Varnum will be interested in their announcement that they have opened law offices together at rooms 410-412 Sun building.

Mr. Walsh is the son of Alonzo G. Walsh, well known in financial circles and state politics. During the past four years Mr. Walsh, Jr., has been associated in law practice with Messrs. Fred L. Norton and George H. Brown of Boston with offices in the Tremont building.

Mr. Varnum is the son of the late Atkinson C. Varnum, whom the older generation will remember as an attorney for many years associated with the law office of Daniel S. and George H. Richardson. Harold A. Varnum, since his admission to the bar in 1906, has had offices with Messrs. Trull & Wier in Central street.

Both these young men are graduates of the Lowell high school, class of 1893. Mr. Walsh is a graduate of Harvard college and Harvard law school, and Mr. Varnum of Amherst college and Harvard law school. Their new offices in the Sun building are located on the fourth floor and are finely appointed.

## ST. COLUMBA'S REUNION

General Committee Held Enthusiastic Meeting—Farmers' Ball Will Be Feature

The general committee in charge of St. Columba's parish reunion which will be held in Associate hall, on Feb. 9, held a very enthusiastic meeting in the parish hall last evening and discussed plans to make this year's event even a greater success than last year's affair.

It was decided to hold a farmers' ball in connection with the reunion, and this feature will be in charge of the entertainment committee, Joseph L. Cunningham, chairman. Mr. Cunningham has had considerable experience in the management of successful events and as he is surrounded by a number of capable assistants who are working zealously on the arrangements, indications point to a highly enjoyable entertainment.

Tonight a whist party will be held in the parish hall. On Saturday afternoon and evening the refreshment committee will hold a bean supper in G. A. R. hall and Mrs. Monahan, who is in charge, has made arrangements to serve a large crowd.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

25c  
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THE GILBRIDE CO.

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OUR SEMI-ANNUAL

# Twenty-Five Cent Sale

OPENS TOMORROW MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK AND WILL CONTINUE FOR THREE DAYS—FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

It's a positive fact that the values we offer in our 25c Sales are the best ever offered in Lowell. During this sale we are going to beat all previous records. We take stock February 1st, and will sacrifice profits on all lots we do not intend carrying over. Every article or group of articles is 25c—nothing higher.

Every department is represented in this 25 Cent Sale. Cost price is lost sight of; so that no matter what you need you are almost certain of securing it here tomorrow for a QUARTER. The greatest price-slashing in Lowell FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY. Profits thrown to the wind.

Ruinous prices will prevail. The values run from 39c up as high as a dollar. This naturally means that some items will go with a rush and may not last throughout the day—so that the early comers will be sure of biggest values. Other values will be added from time to time, so as to keep the bargain interest up to the highest pitch up to Monday night.

DOORS OPEN AT 9 A. M.

## 25c SALE OF SHIRT WAISTS

Lingerie and Semi-Tailored Waists, counter mused, broken lots and sizes. Made of voile and soisette, in long and short sleeves, high and low necks; very good values. Specials for this sale. Worth \$1.00. Sale price.....25c

## 25c SALE OF HOUSE DRESSES

Women's One-piece Percale House Dresses. Regular price 89c. Sale price.....25c Each

## 25c SALE, INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Colored Dresses, sizes 2 to 5 years. Regular price 49c. Sale price.....25c

Infants' Flannelette Slips. Regular price 39c. Sale price.....25c

Infants' Flannelette Petticoats. Regular price 39c. Sale price.....25c

Infants' Wool Bands. Regular price 25c each. Sale price.....2 for 25c

## 25c SALE OF COTTON WASH GOODS

7c Prints, light or dark. Sale price.....5 Yards for 25c

15c Poplins, all colors. Sale price.....2 Yards for 25c

10c Yard Wide Percales, all colors. Sale price.....3 1/2 Yards for 25c

8c Outing Flannel. Sale price.....4 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE IN LINEN DEPT.

(Main Floor)

25 dozen Scarfs and Squares; size of Scarfs 18x54; Squares 30x30; trimmed with torchon lace. Regular prices 75c and \$1.00. Sale price.....25c Each

25c Linen Tray Cloths. Sale price.....3 for 25c

\$1.25 Japanese Drawn Work Lunch Cloths, size 45x15. No telephone orders. Sale price.....25c Each

40c Bleached Sheets, size 72x90. Sale price.....25c

12 1/2c Bleached Pillow Cases, size 42x36. Sale price.....3 for 25c

10c English Long Cloth, 36 in. wide. Sale price.....4 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE OF NOTIONS

Clark's Mill End and J. P. Coats' Spool Cotton, all colors. Regular price 5c each. 6 Spools for 25c

John J. Clark's Spool Cotton. Regular price 4c. Sale price.....13 Spools 25c

Hooks and Eyes. Regular price 5c each. Sale price.....13 Cards for 25c

Spring Fasteners, all sizes. Regular price 10c. Sale price.....4 Doz. for 25c

Sewing Silk, 100 yard spools. Regular price 5c. Sale price.....7 Spools 25c

## 25c SALE OF SILKS

Plain and Dotted Silk, 27 inches wide. Regular price 25c a yard. Sale price.....2 Yards for 25c

## 25c SALE OF DRESS GOODS

38 inch wide Poplin Serge, in the newest shades. Regular price 39c a yard. Sale price.....25c Yard

## 25c SALE OF HOSIERY

Women's Black Cotton Hose, double sole, heel and toe; double garter tops. A regular 19c quality. Sale price.....2 Pairs 25c

Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors; double sole, heel and toe. A 19c value. Sale price.....2 for 25c

Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1-1 rib; double knee, heel and toe, 12 1/2c value. Sale price.....4 Pairs 25c

## 25c SALE OF GLOVES

A broken lot of Women's Two Clasp Kid Gloves, in black and white only, with the new Paris point backs. Regular price \$1.00. Sale price.....25c Pair

Women's Two Clasp Chamoisette Gloves, in white and natural; a good washable glove. Regular price 39c. Sale price.....25c Pair

Women's Cashmere Gloves, in tan, black, navy, garnet. A regular 25c value. Sale price.....2 Pairs for 25c

Children's Mitts, in brown, navy, white and red. A regular 15c quality. Sale price.....2 for 25c

## 25c SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Corset Covers of good quality Nainsook, in a variety of lace and embroidery trimmed. Regular price 39c. Sale price.....25c

Women's Drawers, with cluster of tucks and deep ruffle of eyelet or blind embroidery; open and closed; some slightly counter mused. Regular price 39c pair. Sale price.....25c

Night Robes of good Nainsook, with yoke of embroidery; others edged with lace and ribbon drawn. Some counter mused. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c

Children's Nightgowns, in white, blue, pink, yellow, etc. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c

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## 25c SALE OF WOMEN'S NECKWEAR

Women's Muslin and Swiss Collars. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c

Women's Swiss Collar and Cuff Sets. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c

Women's Embroidered Collars. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....25c

## 25c SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 12 1/2c. Sale price.....3 for 25c

Women's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 10c. Sale price.....6 for 25c

Men's Handkerchiefs. Regular price 8c. Sale price.....9 for 25c

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## 25c SALE IN MILLINERY DEPT.

Children's Corduroy Hats, with small fancy feathers. Regular price 98c. Sale price.....25c

Children's and Misses' French Felt Hats, in several colors. Value up to \$1.25. Sale price.....25c

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## YOUR BOYS AND GIRLS

The less noise a baby hears, the less he is carried about and played with for the first six months of his life, the better it will be. It is seldom necessary to take him from his crib except for his bath and meals. The habit of tossing him about and trotting him on the knee makes him nervous and wakeful and cannot possibly do any good.

His undeveloped system calls for rest, yet he is often denied that privilege. It is during sleep that the building up forces work without interruption and the child gains in flesh and strength.

Have regular hours for his naps and see that everything is favorable for sleep at that time. There should be no tight bands to hinder respiration. Place his crib in such a position that the light will not shine directly upon his face, preferably in a cool, quiet corner. Do not cover him too warmly. Change his position occasionally, and he will sleep longer.

Olive oil is one of the finest flesh builders and nerve foods in the world, and I often wonder why parents do not give it to the children more than they do. Combined with honey, which is also valuable as a food and a blood purifier, it makes an ideal tonic, and the oil cannot be distinguished. Try a teaspoonful of each before meals or after, or with the meals; the amount may be increased if desired.

In the absence of honey, any sweet fruit juices may be substituted, and fruit juice makes a much more palatable combination than the acid juices, such as lemon, grape juice, etc., which are usually recommended as a disguise for the oil. Children especially prefer something sweet.

A dainty little apron for a child is made of white muslin. It wears and launders to look well. Make it with a square neck to slip over the head.

A pretty finish is a buttonhole scalloped around the neck, sleeves and at the bottom. If a tiny pocket is added it pleases the little miss and saves many a handkerchief from being lost.

Another style is made long, buttons down the back, is cut V shape back and in front, trimmed all around with a little ruffle, and ties with a big ruffle string. Either of these could be used for dresses on warm days for indoors.

Dainty and attractive bibs can be made for the wee kiddies by buying the smallest size guest towels and cutting a semi-circle opening in one end. Bind it with narrow cotton or silk tape and allow the ends long enough to tie.

Cut out carefully small colored pictures, stamp and paste several across the bottom of the towel to form a border. Buttonhole them tightly to the bib with red or blue tambour cotton. Oftentimes a toy cloth or the end of a towel can be used. Turn the edges and featherstitch the hem with colored cotton.

Cut out a large picture and buttonhole to the bib in the center or arrange smaller ones in each corner and a small group of pictures in the center.

Every child should be taught to gargle with plain water until they have learned how to do it. It is a game. Then when the time comes that a gargle is necessary, no time will be lost in the teaching.

The bicarbonate of soda, which is simply the cooking soda which we use every day, has long been known as a strong antiseptic, and it kills the num-

erous germs in the throat, or prevents them from multiplying. Half a teaspoonful of this in a glass of hot water gargled several times a day is splendid for a sore throat.

If taken in time it will often prevent a severe cold. It is also good for indigestion. Dissolve a quarter of a teaspoonful of soda in half a glass of cold water, add a few drops of lemon juice and drink slowly.

A package of absorbent cotton will be found very useful to wash baby's eyes and mouth with the boric acid, and to use for the powder puff and for vaseline. Use vaseline for the hair too. It not only will remove the scab by foundation which often appears on the top of the head, but will prevent its forming. This comes from neglecting to clean thoroughly this tender place through fear of hurting baby. It really is not so tender that it will not stand the rubbing necessary to keep it clean.

In case it has already formed, an application of green soap will loosen it and it then can be easily removed with the baby comb. Be careful not to scratch the skin with the comb.

## TO SELL BRIDGE BONDS

LAWRENCE, Jan. 21.—Preparations are being made by City Treasurer Kelleher for the immediate sale of \$400,000 of Central bridge bonds out of which the Pacific mill damages of \$34,000 will be sold. The other \$366,000 worth of bonds will be sold later.

This action was decided at a conference by Mayor Kane, City Solicitor Murphy and City Treasurer Kelleher in the mayor's office Wednesday morning. The city solicitor and city treasurer have been inquiring into the conditions of the bonds to their satisfaction that this is an opportune time for the sale of 4 per cent. bonds.

Although the legislature has allowed the city to borrow \$500,000 for the bridge and land damages the city council has authorized to date the sale of only \$500,000. As \$300,000 of this has already been raised in temporary notes only \$200,000 of the \$500,000 authorized will be sold. The remaining \$100,000 will be sold when the council authorizes the selling of the additional \$300,000.

## DECLINES BOSTON INVITATION

Billy Sunday Also Refuses to Go to New York or Elsewhere on Monday, Needing That Day Off

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Invitations sent by Boston, New York, Baltimore and other cities importuning Billy Sunday to visit them on his Monday of rest for big single meetings, like that held in Washington recently, all were definitely refused by the evangelist yesterday.

"No more visits like that Washington one," he declared. "No more galivanting around on my day of rest. I'm through."

"Yesterday and today I've felt tired out," he continued, "and I'd like awfully well to sleep a whole day. Of course I can't do that, but hereafter I shall try to have one day of rest each Monday. I've got to have it or I will not be able to do the sort of work I think is necessary. So I've told the good people of Boston and New York and Baltimore, who have invited me to make only visits to their cities, that I will be unable to grant their requests for the present."

"You see we've got a good hold on the devil in Philadelphia now—a fine hold, but he isn't thrown yet. He's doing some fine footwork."

## CY BARTON CELEBRATES

THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS MARRIAGE OBSERVED AT HIS HOME ON WALKER STREET

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Barton, a well known couple of this city, are today observing the 30th anniversary of their marriage. There is no formal celebration of the event, but many friends and relatives took occasion to call at the home of the couple, 78 South Walker street, and offer congratulations and best wishes.

Cyrus Barton was born at Croydon, N. H., on Feb. 27, 1852, and came to this city when still in his teens. Thirty years ago he was united in marriage to Miss Marion C. Griffin, who was born in Lowell, Aug. 10, 1853. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Smith Barker, now pastor emeritus of the First Congregational church. Mr. Barton is a mason contractor and has been very successful in his business. The couple have two sons, Sidney C. of this city and Charles L., who holds a responsible position, the Abbott school at Farmington, Me.

Carnival, Broderick's, Asso., Fri.

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Roman Striped Crepe de Chine  
Waists—Regular value \$5.00.  
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Crepe de Chine Waists in white,  
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Allover Voile and Organdy Waists  
—Special .....\$76  
New Style Cross-Barred Waists—  
Very smart; values \$1.07 and  
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For Women and Misses  
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MATERIALS

Broadcloths, Men's Wear Serges,  
French Serge, Garbardine, Wool  
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Cloth and English Cheviots.

SPECIALS FROM OUR SHOE DEPT.  
BEFORE TAKING STOCK

MEN'S SAMPLE SHOES—Made in gun metal, patent and Russian leathers, in lace, blucher and button; all Goodyear welts. Regular prices \$2.50 to \$3.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday .....\$1.98

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WOMAN'S FELT SLIPPERS—Felt and leather soles, assorted colors, all sizes. Regular price 40c. Friday, Saturday and Monday .....19c

BOYS' STORM SHOES—Heavy grain leather, high cut with two full soles. Black and tan, sizes 2½ to 6. Regular price \$2.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday .....\$1.98

LITTLE BOYS' STORM SHOES—Black only, all grain, high buckle tops, sizes 10 to 12½. Regular price \$2.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday .....\$1.49

GIRLS' SHOES—Made in gun metal, button style, Goodyear welt, solid oak tan soles, sizes 1½ to 2, widths C, D and E. Regular price \$2.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday .....\$1.50

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WOMEN'S UNTRIMMED HATS—Regularly sold for \$1.98 and \$2.98. Marked to close 98c

LARGE LOT OF CHILDREN'S TRIMMED HATS—regularly sold for \$1.39 and \$1.75. Marked to close .....50c

LOT OF CHILDREN'S UNTRIMMED HATS—Regularly sold for 89c and 98c. Marked to close .....39c

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## FOREIGN TRADE

Was Discussed by W. L. Saunders at Conference in St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 21.—The question of how far existing government regulation affects foreign trade was discussed by W. L. Saunders of New York in an address before the Second National Foreign Trade Conference here today.

"The United States government has no authority in the matter of sales for delivery to foreign countries," he declared. "To increase the sales of American-made goods, agents for such goods in foreign countries have the right to get together and fix prices and terms so long as they do not violate the laws of the land in which they are doing business. There is nothing in the Sherman law which prohibits price-fixing, pools and trade combinations of American purchasers in selling goods for delivery abroad."

"It may be best," continued Mr. Saunders, "for those who doubt this interpretation of the law to bring a test case rather than expect congress to pass permissive legislation. The term 'foreign commerce' which is used in the Sherman law is evidently intended to apply to importations and exports, for both are involved in the broad term 'foreign commerce.'"

"Apart from legal opinion it would seem plain that the government of the United States has no authority in the matter of sales made for delivery to foreign countries. It is not within its province to regulate them, as the concern and control of the government of any country are limited to its own territory. Two men located in Italy to promote the sale of American-made tools have a perfect right to get together and fix prices and terms so long as they do not violate the laws of the country in which they are doing business. Nor is it necessary for competitors to be located at the foreign point of delivery, since so long as the proof exists that delivery is made outside of the limits of the United States it seems plainly within the province of anyone to cooperate to the fullest extent in negotiating sales. Price-fixing is not in itself immoral nor is a monopoly immoral. They are both wrong when they are unfair or are contrary to the public welfare or when they are construed as unlawful acts, and in this case unlawful acts are such only as are unfair or are contrary to the public welfare."

"Congress can hardly be expected to pass permissive legislation for the conduct of business done in foreign countries, it might be prejudicial to international relations for this government to make one law for its own country and a law of contrary provisions for foreign countries. The laws governing business in foreign countries vary and everyone doing business should be governed only by the laws of the country in which the business is done."

## DISCUSS FIRE PREVENTION

QUESTION OF MOTORIZATION AND OTHER MATTERS PERTAINING TO WATER DEPARTMENT

The following article is sent in by a citizen interested in fire prevention and the lowering of insurance rates; Editor Sun:

Dear Sir: It was with surprise that members of the fire prevention committee of the board of trade read the recent interview with the commissioner of the department of fire protection and water works. In view of the success of motor apparatus in New York, Boston, Springfield, Lynn and other cities, it seems strange to hear the head of a fire department criticize any movement looking to the increase of such apparatus in his department.

No one wishes the insurance companies to "dictate" to this city, but the committee realize that the conditions found by experts must be corrected or an increase in rates is bound to come. Insurance rates are based on an average of the entire country and can only be maintained at their present level or reduced by a nation-wide fight against the fire danger. This is the work of the national board of fire underwriters.

While the committee holds no brief for the insurance companies and the members are fully as desirous as the commissioner of lower rates, yet it will be admitted that rates must be high enough to cover the losses. Selling fire insurance is a business proposition and cannot be conducted from year to year at a loss. If the American people will not learn to prevent unnecessary fires or provide proper means for the extinguishment of such fires, they must expect high rates of insurance. With a property loss of \$250,000 in Lowell it is not necessary to point to the Salem conflagration to find the reason for high rates in this city or of the danger of higher ones; particularly as this is practically an about two-thirds of the city's valuation, the remaining one-third being mill property.

The survey of this city was made during April and May, several weeks before the Salem fire occurred. The insurance companies undoubtedly were hard hit at Salem but the people of that city who lost their homes and places of employment were hit harder. It is not alone to meet the requirements of the insurance companies that steps should be taken to modernize the equipment of the Lowell fire department, but as a protection to ourselves. The fact that there has never been a conflagration in this city is no proof that there will not be one ere 24 hours have passed. "We have never had a disastrous fire" could be truthfully been said by the mayor of Salem on the 24th of June and in a few hours he was to witness the destruction of \$14,000,000 of taxable property and the rendering homeless of thousands, a condition made possible by gross incompetence in the management of the fire and water department. It was to learn the lesson that it teaches or will teach, the city should be taken to modernize the equipment of the Lowell fire department, but as a protection to ourselves. The fact that there has never been a conflagration in this city is no proof that there will not be one ere 24 hours have passed. "We have never had a disastrous fire" could be truthfully been said by the mayor of Salem on the 24th of June and in a few hours he was to witness the destruction of \$14,000,000 of taxable property and the rendering homeless of thousands, a condition made possible by gross incompetence in the management of the fire and water department. It was to learn the lesson that it teaches or will teach, the city should be taken to modernize the equipment of the Lowell fire department, but as a protection to ourselves.

Considering a large number of wooden tenements with combustible roofs in our several congested districts, the conflagration risk is not only a serious one, but it is probably, under the right conditions, consider the day of the Chelsea fire. Does any one believe that a fire once started in Little Canada or Upper Market street could have been controlled with the equipment we now have? South Salem burned from fires started by brands carried hundreds of feet from the railroad tracks. Lakeside in Lowell, while the canals would prove of assistance in stopping the spread of serious fire, they would prove of little value once the conflagration point had been reached. Successful fire departments fight fires in their infancy. They do not allow them to grow until they reach the conflagration point. The greater number of the fires, being caught while small, are fought with chemicals and the losses kept low. This may benefit the insurance company, but not more so than the owner of the property. At times a serious fire is breaking out when the alarm is given. In such a case water is wanted and wanted at once. We cannot, in this day of congested and high valued districts, wait for the water when the steam is being gotten up in the engines. Water will not flow from the canals unless it is drafted. We must have some method of drafting water under pressure at once and that equipment is met by the automobile pumping engine, ready the instant the canal or hydrant is reached.

But the pump will prove of little value if time must be lost while the horse-drawn hose car and ladder truck are slowly reaching their way to the point of attack.

But even with the most modern apparatus a fire cannot be put out if the water supply is so small that the engines lose the water when the start is made. Does the commissioner think that citizens living in portions of the city, and of Belvidere heights feel no interest in the conditions found by the engineers of the national board, or does he think that dwelling on the subject of canals in the centre of the city will make them forget their own dangers? Larger water mains must be laid in certain parts of the city. As to the possible connection between the city of Lowell and the Locks & Canals service in case of a serious fire in any of the manufacturing plants water would be turned into the latter from the former; not from the Locks & Canals into the city mains.

This would increase the supply for mill fire fighting, but surely would not be of assistance to the city in a conflagration. The peril to the city does not lie in the mill property, but in the city which has been as generous in the past, as the mill corporations, the need would not be so pressing today. Lowell's danger is in her congested tenement districts; fire breeders for the rest of the city.

From the list of cities given which have suffered conflagrations the inference is drawn that all such fires have occurred in sea or lake board towns. In passing, attention might be called to Bangor, Me., with \$8,000,000 loss, a city situated nearly as far from the ocean as Lowell. However, the fire started in Little Canada, a street in this city. In the former city the wind, during the past 15 years, attained a velocity of 25 or more miles per hour about 74 days per year, while in the latter, similar velocities were reached on an average 75 times a year. The most likely cause of the fire in the night of the great fire in Boston in '72 while the memorable Thanksgiving fire was fought in a rain storm. The Salem fire was a slow burning conflagration, the wind being light. South Lowell is not peculiarly favored and only a spark or two could start a fire in this spot to be but a heap of blackened ruins.

Having at considerable length proven the desirability of a modern equipment, the question now naturally arises. Can the city of Lowell meet the expense? The answer is that the motor apparatus will in a short time pay its own cost. The initial expense, at the outside to fully equip the department with motor apparatus will not exceed \$100,000, and much of the present equipment may be disposed of at a considerable profit. The cost of the motor apparatus in use at the present time over 50 horses, several of which are unfit for service and which must be replaced during the coming year if motor apparatus is not purchased. The average expense for feeding, shoeing, etc., will amount to about \$300 for each horse or a yearly cost of \$15,000. In addition is the cost of sundries, as blankets, brushes and medicines, beside the harness expense, a large item in itself. Add to this the cost of repairing stables, heating large houses and the total maintenance expense directly chargeable to horse drawn apparatus will mount to many thousands of dollars. If motor apparatus is purchased it will be possible to close at least one house and at the same time furnish better fire protection to the district. A steamer may respond to but one alarm in a week but it has cost more than \$15 just to feed the horses on the days that the wheels were not turned. With a pumping engine the expense would not begin until the gong struck and then would not exceed a few cents unless the engine worked for a considerable length of time.

On meal hours the department is undermanned and more men for fire duty are needed. If motor apparatus is installed the services of the drivers of the horse cars and ladder trucks will be available, while the engineers of the pumping engines will also act as chauffeurs. If motor apparatus is not provided more permanent men must shortly be appointed to the force at an added expense to the taxpayers.

In closing let us realize that we are facing a condition, not a theory nor a threat. We must do something and

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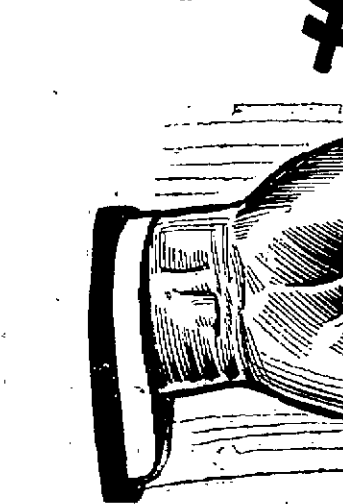
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The woman who values her crown of glory will do well therefore, to give her hair special attention at this season, and it is surprising how readily the average head will respond to a little judicious treatment. Inside of ten days the hair will cease to fall out and within a month its soft fluffiness and lustre will return.

A shampoo never should be given oftener than once in three weeks. Meanwhile the tresses may be kept

that something at once. We may not put Lowell in Class "A," the expense of which may be too great, but we may prevent an increase in the insurance rates, which is a direct or indirect tax on every citizen of the city and at the same time feel assured that our homes and places of business are as safe as it is possible to make them. "Safety First" is the motto of the day. "Better be safe than sorry" will not only apply to unnecessary street car accidents but to unnecessary fire losses as well.

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## WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

## MAKING A WINDOW SEAT

"We have a bay window, Marie," remarked Marjorie with a puzzled expression in her eyes, "which seems to be useless. How would a window seat do?"

"Just the thing I should say," answered Marie. "Wait a moment, I think I can refer to my scrap book and then tell you just how to have one made."

"Yes, here it is. You should have a seat made in three sections following the outline of the window sills along the further edge and built across the front. The top of each section be-

ing made as a lid on hinges makes it possible to use the interior as three storage boxes, and this you can have painted with cedar oil as a protection against moths.

"The box seat is finished on the outside to harmonize with the woodwork of the room, and you can ornament the front surface by making three panels mortised in the centre spaces and marked off with strips of narrow molding."

"If the bay window space is too shallow to allow a comfortable window seat to be made, the top of the box may be used to hold window boxes or potted plants."

"That will be lovely, Marie," said Marjorie gratefully. "I will use it for a real seat and have it made nice and wide. You have helped me wonderfully. Thank you so much."

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# THE "BATTLER" INSULTED

Nelson Accused of Being "Soakum Yoakum's" Brother — Won't Stand for it

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Batting Nelson has been grossly insulted.

"It happened this way," declared Bat. "When I was in one of the big towns in the west recently a fellow came to me and told me that there was a fighter in town that was a dead ringer for me. He's your double, Bat," this fellow told me. That excited my curiosity and so I looked up that fighter. I wanted to see what my face looked like when it was hitched on to another fellow.

"Say, who do you think that 'double' of mine was? Nobody else but Soakum Yoakum. Gee Whizz! I may not be a thing of beauty nor a joy forever, but I certainly think that I'm a handsome guy in comparison with that Soakum Yoakum. He's the limit—honestly, he is. You can bet on it that if I ever catch up with that guy who claimed that he was Soakum Yoakum I'll look like him—or that I looked like him—I'm going to soak that guy and soak him darned good, too."

Ad Wolgast put the finger on Nelson something like five years ago. Other lightweights have arisen to the heights, since then, but somehow or other Batting Nelson remains as the idol of pugilistic fandom. Bat always gave the public his money's worth. He always fought. He never stalled. He was game to the core—and he always fought fair. And the fans love him just as much today as they did when he ruled as king of the lightweight division.

**Anxious to Come Back**  
Bat, after a long lay-off is yearning to do a "comeback." He is sure that he can beat the best man in his class, and he wants to scrap any man in the division. He's particularly anxious to swap punches with Ad Wolgast.

"The best me once, but he can't do it again," says Bat. "I'm still good. I'm 30 years old, but I've always kept in good shape. I've never dissipated. I admit that I lost my speed some few years ago but I think that was because I fought too often. It sapped my vitality. The lay-off I've had has enabled me to get back into trim again and I feel certain that I can beat the best man in my class right now."

Bat is credited with being one of the tightest fisted guys that ever snared a dollar through pugilistic endeavor. "He said that Bat has the first dollar he ever earned and all the rest went into interest and accumulation. But that is not true. Bat became known as a 'tightwad' because he refused to do what other guys did—"

## HELD PARISH SUPPER

REPORTS OF YEAR PRESENTED AT HIGH STREET CHURCH—TRIBUTE TO THE MRS. STOTT

The annual parish supper of the High Street church was held last evening and the reports of the various committees were very encouraging. The pastor, Rev. Allan Conant, Ferrin was moderator. H. Kirke White was treasurer of the evening. Haven G. Hill reported for the prudential committee, showing that \$6100 had been expended during the year. The sum of \$1100 was spent for repairs and alterations during the year. The Women's Aid society of the church presented an appreciation of the late Mrs. Charles A. Stott as follows:

The long connection of Mrs. Chas. A. Stott with the Women's Aid society of High Street church, and the great helpfulness of her relation to the society make it very fitting that at this first annual parish supper since her death an expression of appreciation of her services should be made by the society, as well as of the esteem and affection in which she was held by the women of the parish.

By her grace of manner, her kindness and sympathy and her beautiful Christian character, Mrs. Stott won our hearts. Her graciousness and generosity were unfeigned, her calmness and serenity were a source of strength, and her rare optimism was an inspiration to us all, and a potent element in her success as an organizer and administrator in the many philanthropies in which she was interested. We are reminded at this time that this annual gathering of the members of the parish of High Street church, as a custom, owes its origin to the personal efforts and efficiency of Mrs. Stott.

Eight years ago Mrs. Stott was, by unanimous desire of the women of the parish, chosen president of the Women's Aid society, an office which, by the same unanimous desire, she continued to fill until last May, when she was made honorary president, as a token of our love and of our appreciation of her services in the past.

Not only in this church, but in the city at large, Mrs. Stott was ever active in the cause of charity and benevolence, and was widely recognized as an efficient and enthusiastic leader. Therefore, grateful for her many years of helpfulness and usefulness, for her friendship and loyalty, the women of High Street church give this sincere expression of their gratitude and affection, and extend to the members of her family their heartfelt sympathy with them in the loss of their beloved mother.

**LOWELL FIREMEN'S RELIEF**

LIST OF LOWELL MEN ADDED TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AS RESULT OF ELECTION

The annual election of officers of the Lowell Firemen's Relief Fund association has been held with the following result:  
President, Lieut. Thomas F. Saun-

squander his money on high living. Those who know Bat intimately know him as a fellow whose bank-roll is ever at the disposal of friends in need. And they know him as a man who does things for friends and who never courts publicity because of it.

Some years ago a prize fight manager died when he was in Bat's debt for \$1100. When word came to Bat about his death, Bat got the notes covering the \$1100, tore them up and tossed them into a fire.

"I might cash in suddenly myself," he said, "and I don't want the executors of my estate to get hold of these and used them as a claim against the estate that the other fellow left. It was little enough and his widow needs it all."

**Finances Hospital Bills**  
Kid Farmer, a welterweight of some prominence a few years ago, was stricken with tuberculosis. He was broke. Nelson heard about it and financed his trip to Denver. Every month Nelson sends him a check to cover his expenses.

Bat Nelson did something back in 1913 that no other fighter ever did before. He paid \$132 for the privilege of fighting.

It happened in Tamaqua, Pa., on Feb. 11, 1913. Nelson was matched to fight Harry Dillon. The promoter was Bill Andrews, a friend of Bat's, a man who had helped Bat in his early days as a fighter.

A terrific storm began raging late that afternoon and when the time drew near for the fight the snow was piled in drifts so high that it paralyzed railroad traffic. That kept away from the arena hundreds of men who had planned to come from nearby towns.

There was just a handful of fans in the house when the fighters were ready to enter the ring. Andrews went to Nelson and explained the situation. "We've taken in just about enough to pay for lights and hall rent and about half of Dillon's guarantee," he said. "I haven't got a dollar to pay you your guarantee."

"That's all right, Bill," answered Bat. "No use calling off this bout. Let it go on. I'll do without divvy and make up the difference between what you've taken in and what Dillon's guarantee is."

Nelson scored a knockout over Dillon. After the fight was over Andrews counted the proceeds.

"I'm \$132 shy of what I need to pay Dillon," he said.

"Here it is," said Bat, giving Andrews his check for that amount. "I'm glad to do it, Bill, to show you that I appreciate your kindnesses of the other days."

The following representatives were chosen to the board of directors from the departments and houses mentioned: Board of engineers, District Chief James E. Sullivan and C. A. Alway.

Engine 1, Robert Olney and James Johnson.

Engine 2, George A. Crawford and Charles L. Crowley.

Engine 3, Frank E. Turner and R. P. Mooney.

Engine 4, P. J. Mooney and Patrick Finnerty.

Engine 5, Jay D. Ismond and Arthur B. Stout.

Engine 6, John J. Murphy and John J. Murray.

Hose 1, Capt. James F. McKilloch and William Lane.

Hose 2, Joseph F. Convery and Wm. Lambert.

Hose 3, Frank A. Kappler and Alfred F. Prescott.

Hose 4, David Laferriere and Roger J. Hayes.

Hose 5, Frank McNally and Michael O'Connor.

Hose 6, Lieut. Charles A. Abare and Nathaniel Laney.

Truck 1, James Lannon and Chas. McLean.

Truck 2, Quincy A. Foster and Hamlin Gardner.

Truck 3, Thomas F. Saunders and Elbridge Dearth.

Truck 4, Capt. Joseph d'Amour and Erasmus Lepine.

Protective, Harold Foster and Edward P. Cunningham.

## MR. LEONARD NOT GUILTY

CONCORD STREET DEALER ACQUITTED IN SUPERIOR COURT ON CHARGE OF ILLEGAL SELLING

Terence D. Leonard of this city was found not guilty of a violation of the conditions of his fourth class liquor license by a jury in the superior court at East Cambridge yesterday. It was alleged that Leonard or one of his clerks sold liquor by the glass to customers but the evidence did not satisfy the jury, and he was acquitted. William A. Hogan appeared for the defendant.

## BRITISH AMERICAN CLUB

HENRY A. WISBY PRESENTED LOYALTY CUP FOR HIS WORK FOR RELIEF FUND

The British-American Social club met last evening in Post 129 hall, with President N. McN. Waters in the chair. It was announced that the proceeds of the benefit concert given in December would be over \$150. A feature of the evening was the presentation of a silver loving cup to Henry A. Wisby by President Waters, in recognition of his work in raising money for the Prince of Wales fund. Refreshments were served and plans for the club's future were discussed.

**MINSTREL SHOW AT FARM**

Mayor Murphy is arranging for a minstrel performance at the Chelmsford street hospital to be held Wednesday evening, Feb. 17. The performance will be held in the big hall at the institution and will be given by members of the South End club.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

## CHRONIC CONSTIPATION

Much disease, trouble, suffering, depression and worry, usually blamed to other causes is due to constipation. Even chronic constipation can be corrected by care in the diet and proper treatment with a gentle laxative.

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## FACTORY LEAGUE

Tremont and Suffolk in Lead—Jodoin Has Top Average

The official standing and averages of the Manufacturers Bowling league as turned in by Secretary Farrell finds the Tremont & Suffolk still leading, followed closely by the Buntings and Merrimacks. The Merrimack team has shot into the races owing to the superb rolling of Pantan and McNeil.

Jodoin of the T. & S. quintet leads the average list with 88.24, McDermott is next with 87.15, F. O'Brien is third with 86.7. Arrangements are to be made for tournaments with the different societies in the city. The Y. M. C. I. were defeated in their recent meeting with the Manufacturers teams.

Teams	Won	Lost	P.A.
Tremont & Suffolk	28	8	16,922
U. S. Bunting	26	10	16,515
Merrimack Mfg. Co.	25	11	16,365
B. & M. repair shops	14	10	10,629
Mass. Mfg. Co.	18	18	16,011
Cartridge Co.	10	11	10,100
Hamilton Co.	12	21	15,918
Mohair Plush Co.	12	27	15,984
Fields Lumber Co.	5	22	8,061
John Pillsbury Shoe	2	25	1,343

High team total, first, Tremont & Suffolk, 1460.

Second, U. S. Cartridge, 1443.

High team single, first, U. S. Bunting, 915.

Second, Tremont & Suffolk, 513.

Highest second three strings, first, Williams, Mass., 321.

Second and third, Jodoin, T. & S., and Lane, Buntings, tied, 325.

High single second, McNeil, Merrimack, 132.

Canley, Mass., 131.

Chandler, B. & M., 129.

**AVERAGES OVER 90**

Jodoin, T. & S.	88.24
McDermott, T. & S.	87.15
F. O'Brien, Cartridge	86.07
Buckley, Buntings	86.03
McNeil, Merrimacks	85.24
Pantan, Merrimacks	85.20
Lane, Buntings	84.27
Paul, Hamilton	84.21
Williams, Mass.	84.10
Chandler, B. & M.	84.01
Boyle, Mass.	83.10
Tickets, B. & M.	82.04
Whalen, T. & S.	82.27
Halikenny, T. & S.	82.57
Stovan, Mass.	82.22
Downey, Merrimacks	82.08
Arnold, U. S. Cartridge	81.58
Quirk, U. S. Cartridge	81.55
Smith, Buntings	81.52
Cameron, B. & M.	81.11
Gleason, U. S. Cartridge	81.02
Riley, Buntings	81.01
Burt, Buntings	80.91
Nickerson, B. & M.	80.81
Knight, Mohair Plush	80.01

**League Notes**

Jodoin is hitting the maples in fine style.

Lane is a member of Carr's City league team.

Pantan is a fine anchor man for the Merrimacks.

F. O'Brien of the Cartridge Co. is one of the best bowlers in Lowell.

The All-Stars are too fast for the Lowell teams.

McDermott, captain of the T. & S. team, is a member of the Crescents.

Williams of the Mass. team is the mainstay of his team.

Big meeting Thursday night. Every captain is requested to attend—very important.

**THE CITY LEAGUE**

Tuesday night's games in the City league caused no change in the standing, the leaders carrying off all the honors.

The White Ways got four points without a struggle from the Y. M. C. I. while the Crescents and Bowls also took four points from the Brunswick and Carr's teams, respectively.

Concannon still leads in the individual average with Davis second and Kempton third. Davis in his first City league game pulled out an average of 102.1.

The standing of the teams and the individual bowlers are as follows: Concannon 102.7, Davis 102.1, Kempton 102.25, Mark 102.15, Martel 101.22, Kelley 101.15, Marquis 100.82, Devlin 99.22, Jewett 99.17, Flanders 99.1, Lebrun 99, Mosher 99, Chabott 98.17, Hall 98.12, Curry 98.14, McNeil 98.2, Martin 97.30, McQuade 97.12, Walsh 97.13, O'Brien 97.10, McCormack 97.1, O'Day 97.6, Noonan 97.6, McDermott 97.5, Kittredge 97.1, Perrin 96.25, Wythe 96.24, Johnson 96.18, Cole 96.7, Moran 95.1.

**STANDING OF THE TEAMS**

White Ways	25	15	19,210
Crescents	22	13	19,512
Bowlways	21	20	18,840
Kittredges	26	26	18,821
Carr's	21	28	18,710
Les Merrimacks	20	20	18,437
Brunswicks	17	35	18,063
Y. M. C. I.	14	38	16,702

**LEAGUE RECORDS**

High team total, White Ways, 1576.

Second, Crescents, 1550.

High team single, Crescents, 547.

Second, White Ways, 546.

Individual three strings, Kempton, 539.

Second, Concannon, 352.

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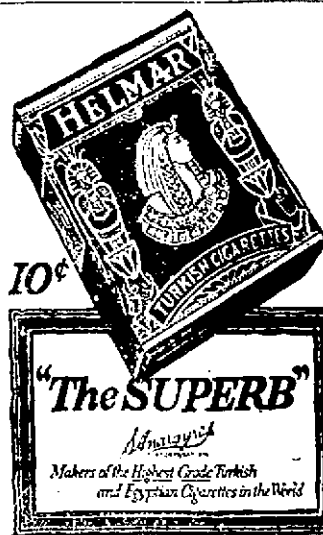
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# HOGANS WANT "HOMAN"

## Mrs. Hogan Says Name is Associated With Many Cheap Jokes, Such as "Hogan's Alley"

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The widespread popularity of Hogan as a name together with the fact that comedians have hung all kinds of jokes on it, such as "Hogan's alley" series, were among the reasons advanced by Mrs. Geneva Hogan before Judge George in the Suffolk probate court yesterday for her desire to have the family name changed to Homan or Homan.

"I don't want to be known as a Hogan," Mrs. Hogan explained, "because that name originated in Ireland. Besides there are many grades of Irish names, and that of Hogan is in the lower grade. It is associated with cheap jokes too much to suit me."

Spectators who filled every bench in the court room crowded the available standing room in the aisles and then clamored outside for admission, listened while the Hogans, one after another, were grilled by Edward H. Shanley about their dislike for all things Irish or Catholic. Young Hogan complained that he received democratic

literature at his home, 77 Westland avenue, soliciting votes for democratic candidates, because his last name was Hogan, and the democratic campaign papers annoyed him very much.

**Judge Reproves Witnesses**

Searching questions by Shanley brought forth the reply so frequently "I refuse to answer," that Judge George took a hand in the cross-examination before it had proceeded far and lectured young Hogan in this manner:

"It is not for you to decline to answer questions put to you in cross-examination. You can only refuse to answer questions on the ground that the answers might tend to incriminate you. If you don't think the answer will incriminate you you must answer the question."

Hogan never, he said, heard of Robert Emmet, John Philip Curran, Patrick or other Irishmen whose names Shanley recited off. He said he was unable to state whether he thought it was a handicap to any of them to be Irish or whether their names were a detriment to them. His invariable reply was that he didn't know anything about them. "My main reason," lisped young Hogan, "is that a non-Catholic name would bring me more happiness."

Mrs. Hogan was emphatic in denunciation of her name, saying it has caused her humiliation, disappointment and sorrow on a great many occasions. She was married in the Church of St. John the Evangelist on Howland street by an Episcopal clergyman, she said, and all her children were christened Episcopalians.

"Are you a member of the Episcopal church?" Shanley asked her.

"It's none of your business," Mrs.

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Hogan snapped. "I refuse to answer," she said her daughter, who has literary aspirations, was refused admission to a girls' literary circle because of her last name.

Lawyer Shanley asked Judge George to compel Mrs. Hogan to tell him the names of persons who refused to rent her a home after they had learned her name. "I think I am entitled to know the names of people who would do that, if they did, your honor," added Shanley.

"You are entitled," replied Judge George, "but I wouldn't pursue the question if I were you."

Edward Joseph Hogan was the first witness of the day. He said he was born in St. John's, N. F., and that he came to the United States in 1864, and lives at 77 Westland avenue. He was married and had always lived in Massachusetts since his arrival in the country. He married Geneva Mailes, whose maiden name his children desire to take for their middle name, and that by the union six children were born. Four of those, the petitioners, are living.

On cross-examination by Attorney Shanley, Hogan said his father and mother were born in St. John's. He then admitted that both were buried in Catholic cemeteries, one in Cambridge, the other in Everett. He admitted further, on questioning by Attorney Shanley, that he had been christened in the Catholic church. He admitted that not until 1913 had he attempted to take out naturalization papers in this country. He said his father's name was Edward H. Hogan and his mother's name Catherine Redmond. He was married in an Episcopal church and will be 53 years old in March.

Under cross-examination of Atty. Shanley, Hogan admitted that his brother, Richard Hogan, was an inmate of the Cambridge almshouse up to the time it was burned a few weeks ago.

"If that brother says that both your parents were Catholics and always were, would you believe him?" asked Shanley. "No, I wouldn't," replied Hogan.

Under the questioning of Atty. Shanley, he was unable to tell of any instance of where he suffered financially, as alleged in his petition, because his name is Hogan.

**Was Not Discharged**

The witness testified that he never contributed to any Catholic charity and never voted in his life, although he received numerous circulars from democratic candidates for office. This, he thought, was because he had an Irish name.

"You say that you desire this change of name for social reasons; are you somewhat of a social lion?" asked Lawyer Shanley.

"No," replied Hogan.

He was unable to tell of any social function where he had been snubbed directly or by inference because of his name, or where an invitation had been withheld because his name is Hogan. He testified that he ceased to be a Catholic 36 or 40 years ago.

Hogan admitted that he was dispossessed by Catholics and Irish and had no sympathy from the people with whom he wished to be identified. He felt as if he and his family were between two fires.

## RIOTS IN BOSTON

Four Men Arrested and Several Injured Today—6 Taken Last Night

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Four men were arrested and several others were cut and bruised during a street fracas in Haymarket place today when striking garment makers engaged several alleged strikebreakers. Tailors' scissors were used freely as weapons, according to the police, but a squad of plain clothes men soon quelled the disturbance. Today's arrests followed trouble of last night when six men were taken into custody and two were sent to hospitals for treatment.

## GERMAN OFFICER HELD

COUNT VON KELLER ARRESTED BY BRITISH—HAD BEEN ON SECRET MISSION

GENEVA, Jan. 21.—The newspaper Stampa of Turin, Italy, announces that a British warship has arrested on board the liner Due De Aosta, from Genoa for New York, Count Von Keller, a German officer of high rank who had been sent to the United States on a secret mission.

The newspaper adds that the count has been landed at Gibraltar.

**W. C. T. U. MEETING**

A series of meetings for the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be opened in this city on Saturday evening by the state president of the organization, Katherine Lent Stevenson. The meetings will be held at the Y. W. C. A. and the public is invited to attend.

# YOUNG MAN BANK PRESIDENT

## Frank P. McGilly Becomes Head of Middlesex Trust Co.

Action by Stockholders Yesterday Makes Him Active President

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Middlesex Safe Deposit & Trust Co. was held at the banking rooms yesterday and the following elections were made: For president, Frank P. McGilly; for vice president, Larkin T. Trull; secretary, Charles L. Knapp. Directors, Edmund B. Conant, Patrick Kelley, Charles L. Knapp, Alfred Leblanc, Elias A. McQuade, Thos. F. Morris, Percy Parker, Theodore E. Parker, Gardner W. Pearson, John B. Pilling, George E. Putnam, Joseph E. Shiley, Larkin T. Trull, Frank P. McGilly. For chairman of board of directors, Percy Parker.

The plan of organization, whereby Mr. Percy Parker, the retiring president, becomes chairman of the board of directors, is no new idea in modern banking methods. By such an arrangement Col. Parker retains his active interests in the same capacity as heretofore.

Mr. Frank P. McGilly becomes active working president. Mr. McGilly in assuming the position resigns the position he has held for several years in the bank commissioner's department of the commonwealth. He is well known among all the banks of the state. His training in banking matters, including 12 years of service with the Lowell Trust Co. of this city, has been unusual and fits him to an eminent degree to assume the new duties. He is well and favorably known throughout this city. He takes up his task with the full approval and endorsement of Bank Commissioner Thorndike and all connected with that department.

Mr. McGilly was born in this city 31 years ago and received his education at the Immaculate Conception school and the Lowell high school. Fifteen years ago he entered the employ of the Lowell Trust Co. as messenger boy and rose through various positions to assistant actuary. Leaving the Lowell Trust company in December, 1911, he joined the state banking department under former Commissioner Chapin, serving through his administration, continuing under the present Commissioner Thorndike. Mr. McGilly is also at the present time a member of the sinking fund commission of this city.

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## CITY HALL NEWS

## The Sewer Job Presents New Problems—Other Matters

The repair of the damage on the Tanner street sewer is a bigger job than was anticipated, according to an engineer from the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, who is also supervisor of bridges. This engineer came to Lowell this morning and in company with City Engineer Stephen Kearney and Commissioner Charles J. Morse visited the premises and inspected the job.

A gang of men in the employ of the railroad company started timbering the coal pocket overhead the sewer this morning and in the course of the work it was deemed necessary to shore up two of the piers the entire length of the building as the footings interfered with the timbering of the trench.

The large amount of coal in the pocket is being hauled away as fast as possible and as soon as it is convenient without interfering with the railroad men Commissioner Morse will put a gang of men at work on the sewer job. It is hoped in a few days there

will be no coal left in the pocket and that will help the workmen greatly.

## Estimates

Although yesterday, Jan. 20 was the last for the filing of estimates of the various departments at city hall, there still remains a few departments that have not been heard from. However, it is believed by tomorrow afternoon all estimates for the year 1915 will have been submitted.

At the request of the mayor, each department supplies seven copies of its estimates, one for each commissioner and the mayor and one for the city auditor and another for the city solicitor. As soon as the estimates are all in the mayor will fix a date for a meeting of the committee on appropriations and this will probably be next Monday.

## Panama Exposition

The members of the municipal council and those of the school board are in receipt of invitations to attend the Panama exposition which will be held at San Francisco, Cal., sometime in February.

## Hearings

Commissioner Boyle of the industrial accident board will come to Lowell to give a hearing on the workmen's compensation act. Those interested are requested to be in the aldermanic chamber at city hall at 10.30 o'clock at which time Mr. Boyle and arbitrators will hear whatever cases are presented.

## Paving Plans

The paving plan submitted to the municipal council by the Lowell board of trade has been turned over to the engineer's office for estimates as to the cost of the proposed work, and Engineer Kearney informed the writer this morning that he will have his figures ready in a couple of weeks. The plan is one prepared by a committee from the board of trade and includes paving work for 1915 and 1916.

## ANTI-CIGARET LECTURE

Dr. Kress of Chicago lectured at Billerica last night on "A Puff of Smoke and Its Consequences."

A large number of residents of Billerica and vicinity assembled in the

Billerica town hall last evening and heard Dr. Kress of Chicago, Ill., general secretary of the Anti-Cigarette league, lecture on "A Puff of Smoke and Its Consequences." Stereoscopic views were shown with the lecture.

The lecture was held under the auspices of the Billerica Parent Teachers' association, and among the audience were a great many women and boys. Dr. Kress told of the evil in cigarette smoking and urged the boys not to form the habit. He cited many experiences where young men lost good positions on account of the cigarette habit and told of its effect on boys in general.

## ARBITRATION HEARING

SUPT. FARRINGTON OF LOWELL AND JOHN L. NILES, FORMERLY OF THIS CITY, TESTIFY

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Testimony from the 16 division superintendents of the Bay State street railway at the arbitration hearings in Chipman hall, was completed yesterday. Ten of these officials were heard in the course of the day. James H. Vahey, representative of the carmen, announced that he would begin to call the blue uniform men today. Since the conditions from the point of view of motormen and conductors in each of the divisions will be described, many days will be occupied.

Supt. Benj. B. Foss of Lynn, Supt. Albert E. Myers of Reading, Supt. Walter B. Hall of Brockton, Supt. James O. Ellis of Chelsea, Supt. Eugene J. Donovan of Woburn, Supt. Garfield S. Chase of Haverhill, Supt. Timothy A. Donahue of Newburyport, Supt. William J. Doran of Nashua, Supt. Helenus B. Harrington of Lowell and Supt. John J. Niles of Gloucester were heard yesterday.

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ranke, most of them having been horse car drivers and motormen or conductors. Their testimony was substantially alike and similar to that of preceding witnesses. None of them would state, either directly or indirectly, to hypothetical questions, that the carmen are worth more wages than they receive.

Supt. Niles told about the "coasting clock," a new device which has been installed in some of the cars in the Gloucester division. The clock registers the time the car is in motion, while the power is turned off and while the brakes are not applied.

"The idea is that the company wants to save power, isn't it?" asked Mr. Vahey.

"I should say so."

"The readings are put on the bulletin board with the hope that one motorman will see that another man has coasted farther than he and that the first man will then try to coast more himself and thus save power— isn't that the dope?"

"I should say so."

It was brought out that these clocks have been placed in about 25 cars.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

WALSH.—The funeral of William Walsh will take place from his home, 324 Adams street, Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock. There will be solemn mass at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker John E. Rogers.

GREENE.—The funeral of Mrs. Rose A. Greene will take place Saturday morning from her home, 308 Thorndike street at 8 o'clock. At St. Peter's church a funeral mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker J. J. O'Connell in charge.

BROWN.—The funeral of Mrs. Annie Brown will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Kindly omit flowers. Burial will be made at House Point, N. Y., Saturday. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

RILEY.—The funeral of Miss Mary A. Riley will take place Saturday morning at 8.15 o'clock from the home of her parents, East Sixth street. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

FITZPATRICK.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Fitzpatrick will take place on Saturday morning from the home of her parents, 458 Gorham street, at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of J. J. O'Connell. Please omit flowers.

## DEATHS

GULLINE.—Robert N. Gulline, formerly of this city, died Tuesday at his home in Dover, N. H. While in Lowell, deceased was connected with the Merrimack print works.

BLANCHARD.—Jean Blanchard, aged 75 years, an esteemed member of St. Joseph's parish, died last evening at his home, 17 Dodge street, after a lingering illness. He leaves besides his wife, three sons, Pierre and Camille of Lowell and Joseph Blanchard, in England; also six daughters, Mrs. Monique Gaudin, Mrs. Agnes Richard, Mrs. Madeline Gaudin and Mrs. Christine Paradis, all of this city; Mrs. Celina Hache and Mrs. Marie Clement, both in Canada.

CHARBONNEAU.—Mrs. Josephine (Gallipeau) Charbonneau, aged 84 yrs., 10 months and six days; wife of Paul T. Charbonneau, died last evening at her home, 53 Fisher street, after a long illness. Deceased was an es-

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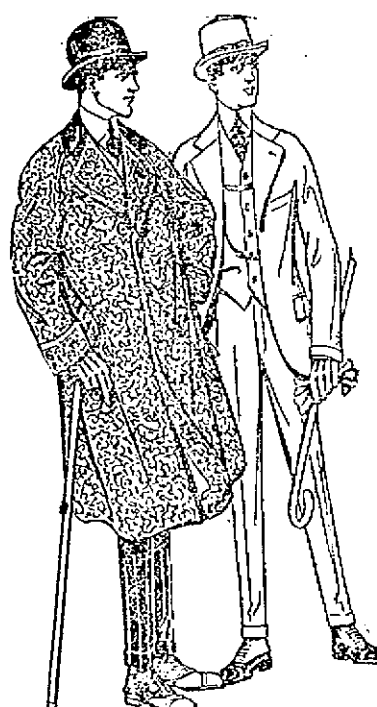
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teemed member of St. Louis' parish and leaves a host of friends who will deeply regret her death. She was a prominent member of St. Anne's society of St. Louis' parish. She leaves besides her husband, her father, Wilfrid Gallipeau; two sons, Albert and Claude Charbonneau.

GREENE.—Mrs. Rose A. Greene died yesterday at her home, 308 Thorndike street, aged 54 years. She leaves one son, John; two daughters, Rosella E. and Annie J.; three nephews, John A. McKenna, James E. and John P. Donnelly. Deceased was a member of St. Peter's church for many years.

FITZPATRICK.—Mrs. Mary E. Fitzpatrick died last evening at her home, 179 Chapel street after a brief illness, aged 55 years. She is survived by one son, Hugh J., and one daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Frost. She was a well known resident of this city and a devout attendant of St. Peter's church. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker J. J. O'Connell, Gorham street.

RILEY.—Miss Mary A. Riley, a well known resident of this city and a devout attendant of St. Michael's church, died this morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Riley, 23 East Sixth street, aged 43 years. She leaves, besides her father and mother, two sisters, Mrs. John L. Fahey of Concord, N. H., and Miss Abbie Riley of Lowell; also five brothers, Daniel C. John J. and Frank E. Riley.

## FUNERALS

PICKLES.—The funeral of Alanson R. Pickles was held yesterday afternoon from his home, 23 Bolt street. The services were conducted by Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gorham Street P. M. church. The floral offerings included a pillow inscribed, "Husband and Father," family and other tributes from Mr. and Mrs. Walsh and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harrington and family, K. D. MacKinnon, R. Catherwood, Peter Kane, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. England and Mrs. England, employees of Park Worsted mills. Appropriate selections were sung by Mr. Thomas Watson. The bearers were Thomas Watson, Joseph Gendle, Peter Kane and Harry Rape. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where committal services were read by Rev. N. W. Matthews. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George M. Eastman.

ADAMS.—The funeral services of Mrs. Anna R. Adams were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary S. Byam, 110 Forest street. Rev. G. H. E. Fisher, pastor of the First Universalist church, officiated. The bearers were Walter B. Emerson, Arnold A. George A. and Ray Byam. Burial was in the family lot in Forestlawn cemetery in Chelmsford, where the committal service was read by Rev. Dr. Fisher. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

## CHECKS UNCALLED FOR

TRADERS BANK FINDS OVER A THOUSAND DEPOSITORS HAVE NOT CALLED FOR DIVIDENDS

Although the officials at the Traders National bank have been paying the second dividend of 10 per cent for over a month, a great many of the claimants have not yet called at the bank for their money and it is clearly evident that the people are not as anxious to secure their money as at the time of the payment of the first dividend. When the bank closed there were ap-

proximately 17,000 depositors. Over 15,000 of this number filed claims and were given receiver's certificates in exchange for their bank books. At the present time there are a few claimants who have not appeared for their first dividend while over 1200 signed checks, covering the second dividend, are at the bank waiting to be called for.

Of course, a number of the depositors, particularly those who had small accounts in the Christmas savings fund, feel that the amounts are too small to bother with at the present time and hence they have failed to collect them. A great many out of town residents also have not yet made their appearance and claimed the amount of the dividend.

The checks will be held at the bank until called for, though it would make it much more convenient for the bank officials if the dividends were paid and checked off. In the event of a third dividend a certain sum will be laid aside to cover the claims of those persons who have not yet secured their money.

## LE SUPPLEMENT PUBLISHING CO.

The stockholders of Le Supplement Publishing Co. held their annual meeting at their quarters in Market street last night and elected officers for the ensuing year with the following results:

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## MAY CALL STATE TROOPS

WITHDRAWN AT ROOSEVELT, N. J.

ROOSEVELT, N. J., Jan. 21.—Roosevelt was quiet today. There was no indication of any renewal of the disorders which culminated Tuesday in the shooting of 13 strikers by deputy sheriffs stationed at one of the plants of the American Agricultural Chemical Co. The funeral of the man who was killed which all the strikers expected to attend was postponed until tomorrow. Some of the 22 deputies who pleaded not guilty late yesterday afternoon to charges of manslaughter were back at the plant today. Steps will be taken, it is said, to have the armed deputies withdrawn from the borough even should it be necessary to call on Gov. Fielder for state troops to take their places.

## Special Values Friday and Saturday

People have found that our Friday and Saturday bargains offer money saving opportunities to provision buyers. Come in or telephone your order and see how much bigger your money will appear to you.

FRESH KILLED FOWL, lb. .... 15c to 17c  
FRESH KILLED CHICKENS, lb. 17c to 23c

SUGAR, Lb. .... 5½c  
BEST GREEN MOUNTAIN POTATOES, PK. .... 15c

Fresh Pork Loins, lb. .... 11c  
Fresh Pork Butts, lb. .... 13c  
Fresh Shoulders, lb. .... 12½c  
Fresh Pigs' Kidneys, lb. .... 9c  
Fresh Pigs Feet, lb. .... 7c  
Special Pork Chops, lb. .... 15c  
Extra Fancy Sugar Cured Hams, lb. .... 14c  
Fancy Smoked Shoulders, lb. 12c  
Fancy Corned Shoulders, lb. 13c  
Fancy Corned Beef, lb. .... 9c  
Fancy Spare Ribs, lb. .... 12c  
Fancy Roast Beef, lb. 12c to 15c  
Fancy Sirlon Steak, lb. .... 18c  
Fall Legs Lamb, lb. .... 15c  
Fall Lamb Chops, lb. .... 15c  
Best Corn Starch, pkg. .... 5c  
Best Corn Flakes, pkg. .... 4c  
Best Macaroni, pkg. .... 6c  
Best Spaghetti, pkg. .... 6c  
Colombia Salt, bag. .... 4c  
Choice Coffee, lb. .... 20c  
Choice Tea, lb. .... 25c  
Fancy Celery .... 10c  
Best Cranberries, qt. .... 5c  
Best Onions, lb. .... 3c  
Best Turnips, lb. .... 2c  
Best Squash, lb. .... 2c  
Best Cabbage, lb. .... 1½c

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# BOGUS CHECK WORKERS

## Two Men Arrested Here and Taken to Boston on Charge of Passing Worthless Checks

Inspector Kerrigan of the Boston police department came to Lowell early this morning and returned to the Hub with John M. Masters and Archibald Curry, both wanted in that city for the alleged passing of worthless checks. Both men were apprehended in this city last evening.

Early last evening Patrolman Connelly was called to the fish market of Chapman & McQuade at 18 Gorham street, where the police allege, Masters had attempted to cash a check for \$25. According to the manager of the market, the man walked into the store and after being informed that the check could not be cashed offered to take five dollars in cash and return later for the balance. This proposition seemed suspicious and Masters was hurried to the police station. The check was made out to

she said I would have to pay for it again.

Q. Did you pay her for the loss of the suitcase? A. Yes. Two weeks later I gave her a check for \$100 to cover the loss of the suitcase.

In reference to going with Miss Ryan to the Army and Navy football game he told about going out the morning before the game to get a sweater for her.

"Miss Kennedy was with me," he said. "When we got to the store and Miss Kennedy selected the sweater for me I said to her: 'Now will you carry your home?' meaning in his automobile. Miss Kennedy replied that she had a list of other things that she wanted," he continued, "and she showed me a list about as long as a bank check. Among other things I noticed gloves."

"I told her that was all right. I was willing to get the sweater and she might get the gloves, but I couldn't afford to buy the whole lot."

Q. Were the gloves purchased? A. They were.

The witness said that Miss Ryan knew nothing about his "around the world" trip.

"I left New York Dec. 12, 1909," he said. "I never talked with or wrote to Miss Ryan about this trip."

Mansfield testified that he sent her some postcards and may have sent some letters. "But no mention of marriage was made by me in any of these letters, and she never made any mention of marriage in her letters to me."

This ended the afternoon testimony.

THE AMERICAN TRUST COMPANY, 60 State street, Boston, was payable to Masters and signed by J. M. Peasey, Jr. At the station the man told that he had lived in Boston and the police of the latter city were called on the telephone. They expressed a desire to get in connection with Masters, saying that there was a warrant out for his arrest.

The Hub police also informed Supt. Welch of another alleged check worker who is known by the name of Archibald Curry. A description of the man was given to the police and a few hours later Inspector John A. Walsh, assisted by Detective Officer Garvey, found the man wanted in a house at 123 Cabot street. The man had given the name of McDonald at the Cabot street house and at first would not admit his identity. The police of Boston were notified and Inspector Kerrigan identified both men and returned with them to Boston this morning.

# MANSFIELD DENIES HE EVER PROMISED TO WED

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Henry K. Mansfield, the proprietor of Percoroff Inn, defendant in the breach of promise suit against him by Elizabeth M. Ryan of New Haven, took the stand in the third session of the superior court yesterday forenoon. He was on the stand all day, questioned by his attorney, M. L. Sullivan.

Before Mansfield was called ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald was permitted to testify. In Tuesday's testimony a witness, James F. Mullen, said that he saw three men kiss Miss Ryan one Sunday afternoon at Percoroff, and that he, Mullen, also kissed her. He named the ex-mayor as one of those whom he saw kiss the young woman.

Yesterday Mansfield insistently denied that either in letters or conversation he ever promised to marry Miss Ryan.

Mr. Fitzgerald denied that he ever kissed Miss Ryan, said he had never spoken to her and wouldn't know her if he saw her.

The courtroom was crowded as usual, and when the session opened there was a waiting time of more than 100 in the corridor. This was after the court was filled on hand before the court came in. Attorney Sullivan agreed that Attorney Conkley might put him on the stand without delay. Judge Fessenden agreed.

Mr. Fitzgerald Denies Kissing  
The ex-mayor was not on the stand more than four minutes. After giving his name to Attorney Conkley and saying he was an ex-mayor of Boston, the witness was questioned as follows:

Q. Were you ever at Percoroff? A. Yes.

Q. Accompanied by whom? A. Always by members of my family.

Q. Were you ever in a room there with a Mr. Hall, a Mr. Seelye and one known as Mullen? A. No.

Q. Did you ever speak to Bessie Ryan? A. No. I wouldn't know her if I saw her.

Q. Were you ever in any room with three men when Miss Ryan was there? A. No.

Q. Did you ever kiss Miss Ryan? A. No.

Q. Ever see anybody else kiss her? A. No.

Q. That's all, said Attorney Conkley. "And the defense has no questions to ask," added Attorney Sullivan.

The ex-mayor immediately left the court room and Mansfield was called to the stand.

Mansfield Takes the Stand  
The defendant's testimony was listened to most attentively. He spent

## FOR PEACE IN MEXICO

PROVINCIAL PRESIDENT GARZA SAYS HE IS MAKING EFFORTS TO END HOSTILITIES

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21.—Provincial President Garza in a statement issued late Wednesday said that he is making efforts to bring about satisfactory arrangements for the re-establishment of tranquility in Mexico City.

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# CHARMING EVENT

## Pollard's Employees Held Tenth Annual Party Last Evening

Eclipsing all previous attempts in the social line the 10th annual dancing party by the A. G. Pollard Employees Mutual Benefit association was successfully conducted at Associate hall last evening, and everybody in attendance had a delightful and highly enjoyable time.

The hall was beautifully and artistically decorated for the occasion, yellow, white and pale blue predominating.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this day of January, in the year fifteen hundred and fifteen, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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# LEGAL NOTICES

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Whereas a petition has been presented and filed in the probate court of the County of Middlesex, in the case of said deceased to Frederick W. Farnham, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving security on each bond.

You are hereby notified to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second day of February, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

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## FIRE IN BILLERICA BURNS BARN AND AUTO

A spectacular fire occurred at North Billerica early this morning when a barn belonging to the estate of Owen Munningsham and located on Pollard street, opposite Pollard road, burned to the ground, destroying a touring car which was stored inside and 10 tons of hay besides a number of farming implements and other machinery. The origin of the fire seemed suspicious to the fire department officials and an investigation of the circumstances will undoubtedly be made by the state officers.

About 10 days ago a fire was discovered in the same barn by neighbors and Superintendent Stowers, of the water department, and several volunteers, succeeded in extinguishing the blaze before any serious damage was done. Only the rear of the automobile and a small part of the barn floor was burned. The fire was discovered about 11 o'clock at night.

The cause for this morning's fire was located at the Talbot mills at 1.30 o'clock, after a resident of that vicinity had discovered the barn in flames and notified the watchman at the mill by telephone. The fire made such rapid headway, however, that long before the arrival of the fire department the entire structure was a mass of flames and none of the contents could be saved.

Occupants of several nearby houses entertained fears for some time that the strong wind would carry sparks to the roofs of their dwellings and while awaiting the arrival of the firemen several lines of small hose were played on the residences to prevent other fires. Fortunately the wind was blowing toward the Concord river and most of the burning embers was carried in that direction.

When the firemen reached the scene of action, there was nothing to do but prevent the spreading of the fire as the hay made great fuel for the flames and it was only a matter of a half hour before the whole barn was totally destroyed. The homestead, located only a few yards from the barn, did not catch fire though the occupants had removed furniture fearing that their home was to be ruined.

From what could be learned today, no one had rightfully been inside the barn for several days, it being used mostly to store goods. It is possible that tramps were sleeping in the barn and started the fire by smoking. The automobile destroyed was owned by Edward T. Harrington of East Cambridge, while the hay and farming machinery belonged to Frank Harrington of North Billerica. The barn and machine were insured, it is said.

## PROF. TAFT SEES GOOD IN THE EUROPEAN WAR

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 21.—Declaring that the country was halting in business, progress and learning, and that unwise steps taken needed to be recalled, former President Taft said today that the people should go back to the system of justice, equity and moderation.

Prof. Taft was the guest of Indiana university and delivered the address at the founders day exercises.

"We need not go back to the conditions that led to the great reforms and we shall not do so," said Mr. Taft. "Corporations have been driven out of politics and while, of course, corruption is not even absent the danger of plutocracy has disappeared and the purification of politics has constituted a real reform for which all good citizens must be grateful."

"Popular indignation cannot be really aroused or the leviathan of the people be stirred to action such as they have thus taken, and stopped short at the line of wise moderation. Parts of the costs of the original disease is in the incidental damage from the inevitable excess of remedies. The hostility of legislatures and of congress, consciously or unconsciously, has come to be directed against all successful investments of capital without discrimination. Nothing is as timid as capital and nothing is so easily frightened as the case of what it has. The inquisitorial and nagging character of the powers of commissions, created for the close supervision of corporate interests have so frightened capital as to shrink investments and stop the normal expansion in the business of the country."

**Wage Earners' Suffering**

"The sad features of such excess of remedy," continued Mr. Taft, "however well intended, is that the persons who suffer most are the least able to bear suffering—the wage earners whose comfort and living are dependent upon constant employment."

The former president defended the railroad by saying that the close and absolute supervision over the management and the restriction upon the rates, together with the increase of maintenance of wages through the power of trades unions have ground the railroad between the upper and nether millstone and prevented a fair return upon their capital. The solution of some of them is threatened and all this to the detriment to the business of the country and especially to the comfort and happiness of wage earners, dependent upon normal business and normal demand for labor.

Increased rates for railroads when conditions require was urged by Mr. Taft. He said that the "full crew" laws that imposed on the railroads the burden of employing unnecessary labor, an exaction due to the undue and unjust influence exercised by the trades unions over legislatures, should be repealed.

**New Reforms Criticized**

Prof. Taft criticized many of the new reforms in governmental affairs and declared that the selection of candidates at a general primary has not tended to the elimination of corruption or political machine rule and the selection of better representatives of a party.

"The standard of judges in those states where the candidates are selected by a general primary have not notably and perceptibly become inferior to those who were selected under the old convention system," he declared.

Mr. Taft said he admitted that there were abuses under the convention system but even at that it is more preferable in many ways than a general primary. He also criticized the initiative, referendum and the recall, especially deploring the idea of the recall of judges.

In referring to the European war Mr. Taft said that it staggers the imagination in the loss of life and destruction of hard earned capital. When it came it was such a shock and such a disappointment that those who hoped for human progress lost their faith.

"We find occasion for hope, however, from the various sufferings which when the war is over will prompt the adoption of some peaceable means of settling international disputes in order to prevent a recurrence of such an awful catastrophe."

Interest begins Saturday, Feb. 6, at the Central Savings bank.

**SUN FEATURES FRIDAY**

Helpful Suggestions to be Found in "What the French Maid Said"—Other Features

"The French Maid" tomorrow will give helpful suggestions regarding the selection of prizes for a card party. They may be easily made at home.

Choosing perfumes is the topic of "The Habit of Feet" and the "Sleepy-time Tale" will be "The Piggie's Foster Father."

Interesting news of suburban affairs will be printed in The Sun tomorrow.

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**MEATS**

Heavy Sirloin Steak, per lb. 25c  
Legs and Loins Spring Lamb, per lb. 18c  
Legs and Loins Yearlings, per lb. 12 1/2c, 14 1/2c  
Forequarters Lamb, per lb. 12 1/2c, 14c  
Forequarters Steerling, per lb. 10 1/2c  
Nice Lamb for Stewing, per lb. 8c  
Native Fatted Veal, Leg and Loin, per lb. 18c  
Roast Beef from..... 14c up

Cut from choice corn-fed Chicago Dressed Beef  
Small Pieces Fresh Roast Pork, per lb. 12 1/2c  
John P. Squire's Fresh Roast Pork, per lb. 15 1/2c  
Smoked Shoulders, per lb. 12 1/2c, 13 1/2c  
Small Half Hams, per lb. 10c, 12 1/2c, 14c

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## 12 TURKISH VESSELS SUNK BY RUSSIANS

PETROGRAD, Jan. 21.—The following communication from the army of the Caucasus has been given out:

On Jan. 19 in the region of Ialich, Lvaor and Kyagan we fought a series of combats with the Turkish rear guard, who retreated precipitately. We captured a great many prisoners and a Turkish camp.

On Jan. 18 we occupied Ardanoouh in Trans-Caucasia, near the Turkish border. A torpedo boat sent to inspect the Asia Minor coast sank 12 vessels with their cargoes near Archava.

**BERLIN PAPERS EXPRESS SATISFACTION AS RESULT OF AERIAL RAID**

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—The isolation of the British Islands is conquered successfully," says the Morgenpost in its editorial on the recent air raid. "Of what use to Great Britain?" it adds, "are the surrounding seas and war vessels if our airships cross the water, dropping bombs?"

The Tageszeitung expresses satisfaction at the first air attack and hopes it will be followed by others while the Tageblatt says it is now clear that the North sea is no hindrance to German airships.

**EX-KHEDIVE OF EGYPT TO CONSULT SPECIALIST REGARDING BULLET WOUND**

GENEVA, Jan. 21.—Ex-Khedive Abbas I of Egypt, according to Vienna despatches, is going to Bern to consult a specialist regarding a bullet wound in the jaw, received in a recent attempt on his life at Constantinople. The despatches say that the wound has not healed and that it makes it impossible for him to head the army with which it is planned to invade Egypt at the present time.

**ANOTHER ZEPPELIN LEAVES FRIEDRICHSHAFEN TO REINFORCE FLEET**

GENEVA, Jan. 21.—Another Zeppelin after three days of trials left Friedrichshafen Wednesday afternoon in a northwesterly direction to reinforce the air fleet near Ghent.

It is reported here there is great rejoicing at Friedrichshafen over the Zeppelin raid. The plan was known in advance in certain quarters in Switzerland. It is declared, and warnings had been sent to the British authorities, who are reported to have stated that they attached little importance to it.

The visit of the prince of Wales to Belfort has led to reports here that British troops would shortly be sent to Belfort to participate in any possible advance on the Rhine. The French advanced trenches according to reports received here are now only 16 miles from the Rhine.

**GERMAN AIRSHIPS ATTEMPT TO DESTROY BRIDGES OF NEW FINNISH RAILROAD**

LONDON, Jan. 21.—A Stockholm despatch says that German airships have been reconnoitering the frontier between Sweden and Finland, evidently with the purpose of destroying the bridges of the new Finnish railroad, thus interrupting communication between Russia and Sweden.

**INHABITANTS OF BRUGES, BELGIUM SENTENCED TO 5 YEARS FOR CARRYING LETTERS**

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21.—A despatch from St. Louis, Holland, says that an inhabitant of Bruges, Belgium, has been sentenced to five years' imprisonment for carrying letters from Holland to Belgium.

**COMMANDER OF AUSTRIAN ARMY SAYS TROOPS ARE ANXIOUS TO FIGHT**

VIENNA, Jan. 21.—Field Marshal Archduke Frederick, the cousin of Emperor Francis Joseph and commander in chief of the Austrian army, has just returned from a visit to the troops of the first army. He states that he found conditions excellent and the soldiers impatient to begin a further offensive campaign.

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Dame de Lorette, northwest of Arras. Germans, who face Warsaw.

German assaults near Albert throwing heavy fighting on the roads to Thion and West Prussia.

Three successive charges on La Boisselle, on northern front, repelled by allies.

Germans announce they have captured trenches northwest of Arras and in Argonne.

French report further gains toward Metz and recapture of positions lost in Argonne.

Airplane near Cernay in Alsace taken by Germans.

New Russian army in Northern Poland trying to cross Vistula below

the union to be in excellent financial condition.

**Wing Spinners Union**

Six new members were initiated and a number of reports read and approved at the meeting held by the Ring Spinners union last night in Cotton Spinners hall in Middle street.

At the next regular session business of utmost importance will come up for transaction and all members are requested to attend. President Henry Fortier was in the chair at last night's meeting.

**Carpenters' Agreement**

The three-year agreement between the contractors and union carpenters of this city expires May 1 of this year. It is believed that it will be renewed on the present basis of 45 cents an hour for a 44-hour week. The settlement will affect about 600 carpenters.

The members of the local union are greatly interested in the report that the Boston carpenters are to go out for a wage schedule of 61 1/2 cents an hour for a 44-hour week of five days. The Boston carpenters work 44 hours at the present time. As many of the local carpenters are employed at the present time in Boston keen interest is being taken locally in the proposition.

**Boot & Shoe Workers' Meeting**

Organizer Daniel E. Whalen in conversation with a Sun reporter last night said that arrangements have been practically completed for the smoke talk and entertainment to be held in Harrington hall next Monday evening. Frank Warnock, president of the Trades & Labor council, John J. Mahoney and other prominent labor men will address the meeting. The speechmaking will be followed by a musical entertainment which promises to be of unusual excellence. John Baxter, one of Lowell's leading tenors, will sing, and William McCarthy has been secured as the accompanist.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 468 Merrimack street.

**TYNGSBORO LAND CASES**

The hearing in the Tyngsboro land damage cases was resumed before Master Shattuck of Boston in the court house in Gorton street this forenoon. The plaintiffs in the case, residents of Tyngsboro Centre, seek to recover for fire damages alleged to have been caused by sparks from an engine. The Boston & Maine railroad is the defendant. Trull & War for the Boston & Maine and F. E. Dunbar for the plaintiffs.

**Local 40, Carpenters' Union**

Next Tuesday night will be a big night for Carpenters union, local 40, when the delegates who have been busy sounding sentiment towards the organization of a Building Trades council will submit a report. Other important business will also come up for transaction.

**Steam and Operating Engineers**

The Steam and Operating Engineers held their regular meeting in the union quarters in Central street last night with a very satisfactory attendance of members present. It was announced that Daniel Callahan had been chosen to the position of corresponding and recording secretary and that Elias Mooney had been elected secretary.

**Carpenters' Union**

The Carpenters union, local 1610, held its regular weekly meeting last night in Carpenters hall in the Buncles building and transacted a list of routine business. Several committees submitted important reports and a stack of communications was read and referred to the secretary for proper disposal. The secretary's report showed

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## ALLEGED MURDERER CAUGHT AFTER CHASE

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Failing to get from Emmanuel M. Papadakis, proprietor of the Norway cafe, 17 Norway street, Back Bay, money he said was due him, a man, who told the police he was S. Spirodakti, a cook, and lived at 116 Summer street, whipped a revolver from his pocket and the police say shot the restaurant man through the head in the Hittie lunchroom yesterday afternoon.

As the restaurant proprietor fell, clutching a tablecloth, and pulling slashes and silverware to the floor with a crash, a small boy who was pushing the cafe and saw the shooting, set up a scream. The assailant fired a second shot, which went wild, dropped his 32-calibre revolver into his pocket and fled from the store.

The screams of the small boy attracted the attention of Alfred Barrett of 41 Falmouth street and Patrick O'Reilly of St. Germain street, who started in pursuit of Spirodakti. The latter ran down Norway street, across Falmouth and toward Huntington avenue. Others joined Barrett and O'Reilly in the chase.

Near the corner of Huntington avenue Spirodakti drew his revolver, and wheeled, faced his pursuers. The foremost threw their hands over their heads, but did not give up the pursuit. Seeing that the crowd had no intention of letting him get away, the alleged murderer resumed running.

In the meantime, someone had telephoned to the Back Bay police station on Boylston street, and the auto patrol was rushing to the scene at a furious speed. It turned into Huntington avenue right in back of the fugitive. Patrolman Stephen Flaherty leaped from the machine and darted after Spirodakti, literally driving the latter into the arms of Patrolman Arthur Smith, who was doing crossing duty at Huntington street and Huntington avenue.

Spirodakti was hooked at station 16 on a charge of murder. The police ambulance took Papadakis to the City hospital, where he died shortly after arriving, without making any statement. He was unable to speak, so could not identify Spirodakti, who was taken to the bedside by Patrolman Flaherty.

**HIGHLAND CLUB PARTY**

**DELIGHTFUL WINTER DANCING CONDUCTED LAST EVENING FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS**

A very delightful winter dancing was held last night at the Highland club, under the auspices of the directors and attended by club members and their friends. As is usual in club affairs, a spirit of the utmost informality prevailed and though dancing was not over until 2 a. m. the 75 couples present stayed until the last strains of the dance music died down. The affair was one of the most enjoyable and successful ever conducted by the club, and the members are eagerly looking forward to another dancing party run on the same lines. The gowns of the ladies were notable for beauty and variety and the scene during the dancing was delightfully animated.

Musical for the dances was supplied by the famous orchestra of the Ferncroft Inn. So enjoyable were the numbers that though it had been announced that only one encore would be played, the dancers frequently were so insistent that the orchestra was forced to acquiesce. During intermission a buffet luncheon and ices were served in the upstairs hall.

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Children's \$7.50 Coats. To close.... \$5.00

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